

SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel Switch Installation Guide

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Section 1

Introduction

This manual describes the features and installation of the SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel switch, firmware version 1.4. This manual is organized as follows:

- [Section 1](#) describes the intended audience, related materials, safety notices, communications statements, laser safety information, electrostatic discharge sensitivity precautions, accessible parts, and technical support.
- [Section 2](#) is an overview of the switch. It describes indicator LEDs and all user controls and connections.
- [Section 3](#) describes the factors to consider when planning a fabric.
- [Section 4](#) explains how to install and configure the switch.
- [Section 5](#) describes the diagnostic methods and troubleshooting procedures.
- [Appendix A](#) lists the switch specifications.
- [Appendix B](#) describes the Command Line Interface.

Please read the communications statements and laser safety information later in this section. Use this manual in conjunction with the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide*.

1.1

Intended Audience

This manual introduces users to the switch and explains its installation and service. It is intended for users who are responsible for the installation and servicing network equipment.

1.2

Related Materials

The following manuals and materials are referenced in the text and/or provide additional information.

- *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide*, Publication Number 59022-04.
- Fibre Channel-Arbitrated Loop (FC-AL-2) Rev. 6.8
- Fibre Channel-Private Loop SCSI Direct Attach (FC-PLDA) NCITS TR-19:1998
- Fibre Channel-10-bit Interface Rev. 2.3
- Definitions of Managed Objects for the Fabric Element in Fibre Channel Standard (draft-ietf-ipfc-fabric-element-mib-04.txt).

The Fibre Channel Standards are available from:

Global Engineering Documents, 15 Inverness Way East, Englewood, CO
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397-2740

1.3

Safety Notices

A **Warning** notice indicates the presence of a hazard that has the potential of causing moderate or minor personal injury.

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A **Caution** notice indicates the presence of a hazard that has the potential of causing damage to the equipment.

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1.4

Sicherheitshinweise

Ein **Warnhinweis** weist auf das Vorhandensein einer Gefahr hin, die möglicherweise mittelschwere oder leichte Verletzungen zur Folge hat.

4-3, 4-6

Ein **Vorsichtshinweis** weist auf das Vorhandensein einer Gefahr hin, die möglicherweise Geräteschäden zur Folge hat.

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1.5

Notes informatives relatives à la sécurité

Une note informative **Avertissement** indique la présence d'un risque pouvant entraîner des blessures légères ou mineures.

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Une note informative **Attention** indique la présence d'un risque pouvant entraîner des dégâts matériels.

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1.6

Communications Statements

The following statements apply to this product. The statements for other products intended for use with this product appear in their accompanying manuals.

1.6.1

Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Class A Statement

This equipment has been tested and found to comply with the limits for a Class A digital device, pursuant to Part 15 of the FCC Rules. These limits are designed to provide reasonable protection against harmful interference when the equipment is operated in a commercial environment. This equipment generates, uses, and can radiate radio frequency energy, and, if not installed and used in accordance with the instruction manual, may cause harmful interference to radio communications. Operation of this equipment in a residential area may cause unacceptable interference, in which case the user will be required to correct the interference at their own expense.

Neither the provider nor the manufacturer is responsible for any radio or television interference caused by unauthorized changes or modifications to this equipment. Unauthorized changes or modifications could void the user's authority to operate the equipment.

This device complies with Part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- This device may not cause harmful interference, and
- This device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.

1.6.2

Canadian Department of Communications Class A Compliance Statement

This equipment does not exceed Class A limits for radio emissions for digital apparatus, set out in Radio Interference Regulation of the Canadian Department of Communications. Operation in a residential area may cause unacceptable interference to radio and TV reception requiring the owner or operator to take whatever steps necessary to correct the interference.

1.6.3

Avis de conformité aux normes du ministère des Communications du Canada

Cet équipement ne dépasse pas les limites de Classe A d'émission de bruits radioélectriques por les appareils numériques, telles que prescrites par le Règlement sur le brouillage radioélectrique établi par le ministère des Communications du Canada. L'exploitation faite en milieu résidentiel peut entraîner le brouillage des réceptions radio et télé, ce qui obligerait le propriétaire ou l'opérateur à prendre les dispositions nécessaires pour en éliminer les causes.

1.6.4

CE Statement

The CE symbol on the equipment indicates that this system complies with the EMC (Electromagnetic Compatibility) directive of the European Community (89/336/EEC) and to the Low Voltage (Safety) Directive (73/23/EEC). Such marking indicates that this system meets or exceeds the following technical standards:

- EN60950/A11:1997 – “*Safety of Information Technology Equipment, Including Electrical Business Equipment*”.
- EN60825-1/A11:1996 – “*Safety of Laser Products, Part 1*”.
- EN55022:1998 – “*Limits and Methods of Measurement of Radio Interference Characteristics of Information Technology Equipment*”.
- EN55024-1:1998 – “*Electromagnetic compatibility - Generic immunity standard Part 1: Residential commercial, and light industry.*”
 - IEC1000-4-2:1995 – “*Electrostatic Discharge Immunity Test*”
 - IEC1000-4-3:1995 – “*Radiated, Radio-Frequency, Electromagnetic Field Immunity Test*”
 - IEC1000-4-4:1995 – “*Electrical Fast Transient/Burst Immunity Test*”
 - IEC1000-4-5:1995 – “*Surge Immunity Test*”
 - IEC1000-4-6:1996 – “*Immunity To Conducted Disturbances, Induced By Radio-Frequency Fields*”
 - IEC1000-4-8:1993 – “*Power Frequency Magnetic Field Immunity Test*”
 - IEC1000-4-11:1994 – “*Voltage Dips, Short Interruptions And Voltage Variations Immunity Tests*”
- EN61000-3-2:1995 – “*Limits For Harmonic Current Emissions (Equipment Input Current Less Than/Equal To 16 A Per Phase)*” Class A
- EN61000-3-3:1995 – “*Limitation Of Voltage Fluctuations And Flicker In Low-Voltage Supply Systems For Equipment With Rated Current Less Than Or Equal To 16 A*”

1.6.5

VCCI Class A Statement

この装置は、情報処理装置等電波障害自主規制協議会（VCCI）の基準に基づくクラス A 情報技術装置です。この装置を家庭環境で使用すると電波妨害を引き起こすことがあります。この場合には使用者が適切な対策を講ずるよう要求されることがあります。

This is a Class A product based on the standard of the Voluntary Control Council For Interference by Information Technology Equipment (VCCI). If this equipment is used in a domestic environment, radio disturbance may arise. When such trouble occurs, the user may be required to take corrective actions.

1.6.6

BSMI Class A Statement

警告使用者:

這是甲類的資訊產品，在居住的環境中使用時，可能會造成射頻干擾，在這種情況下，使用者會被要求採取某些適當的對策。

Warning:

This is a Class A product. In a domestic environment, this product may cause radio interference in which case the user will be required to take adequate measures.

1.6.7

Laser Safety Information

This product may use Class 1 laser optical transceivers to communicate over the fiber optic conductors. The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) does not consider Class 1 lasers to be hazardous. The International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) 825 Laser Safety Standard requires labeling in English, German, Finnish, and French stating that the product uses Class 1 lasers. Because it is impractical to label the transceivers, the following label is provided in this manual.



1.7

Electrostatic Discharge Sensitivity (ESDS) Precautions

The assemblies used in the switch chassis are ESD sensitive. Observe ESD handling procedures when handling any assembly used in the switch chassis.

1.8

Accessible Parts

The only Field Replaceable Units (FRUs) are Small Form-Factor Pluggable (SFP) transceivers.

1.9

Pièces Accessibles

Les pièces remplaçables, Field Replaceable Units (FRU), du commutateur sont interfaces aux media d'interconnexion appelés SFP transceivers.

1.10

Zugängliche Teile

Nur die folgenden Teile im können kundenseitig ersetzt werden Schnittstellen für die Zwischenverbindungsträger, SFP transceivers genannt.

1.11

Technical Support

Customers should contact their authorized maintenance provider for technical support of their QLogic switch products. QLogic-direct customers may contact QLogic Technical Support; others will be redirected to their authorized maintenance provider.

Visit the QLogic switch support Web site listed in [Contact Information](#) for the latest firmware and software updates.

1.11.1

Availability

QLogic Technical Support is available from 7:00 AM to 7:00 PM Central Standard Time, Monday through Friday, excluding QLogic-observed holidays.

1.11.2

Training

QLogic offers the following technical training courses:

- Switch Certification
- HBA Certification

Each course is available at the training facility in Eden Prairie, MN or at your local facility. All courses include a Fibre Channel overview and sections on installation, maintenance, and topology solutions. Each student receives a set of manuals and a CD-ROM containing course training materials. Upon successful completion of the training, Qlogic awards a certificate identifying the student as a Certified SANbox® or SANblade® Professional.

1.11.3

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| Technical Training | tech.training@qlogic.com |
| Switch Support Web Site: | www.qlogic.com/support/home_support.asp |

Section 2

General Description

This section describes the features and capabilities of the SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel switch. The following topics are described:

- Chassis controls and LEDs
- Fibre channel ports
- Ethernet port
- Serial port
- Power supply and fan
- Fabric management

Fabrics are managed with the SANbox Manager switch management application (version 1.04) and the Command Line Interface (CLI). Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for information about using SANbox Manager. Refer to [Appendix B](#) for information about using the CLI.

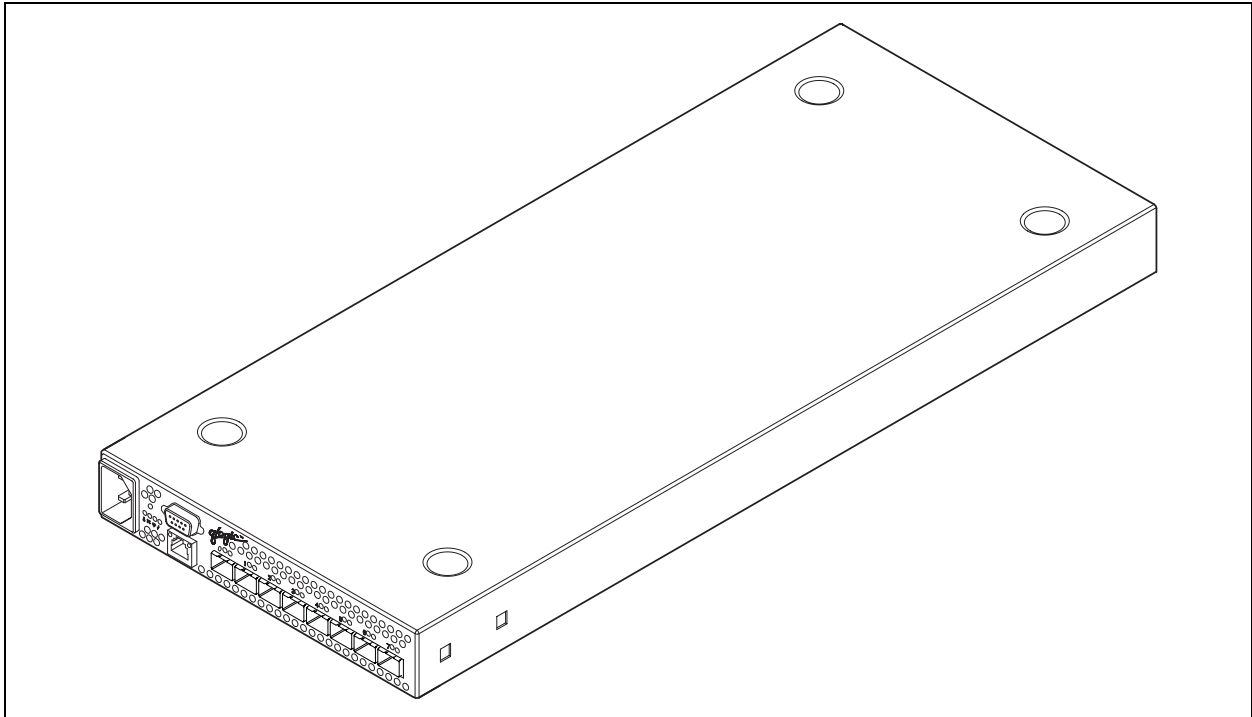


Figure 2-1. SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel Switch

2.1

Chassis Controls and LEDs

The Reset/Force PROM button shown in [Figure 2-2](#) is the only chassis control and is used to recover a disabled switch. The chassis LEDs provide information about the switch's operation status. These LEDs include the Over Temperature LED, Fan Fail LED, Heartbeat LED, and the Input Power LED. To apply power to the switch, plug the power cord into the switch AC power receptacle and into a 110 or 230 VAC power source.

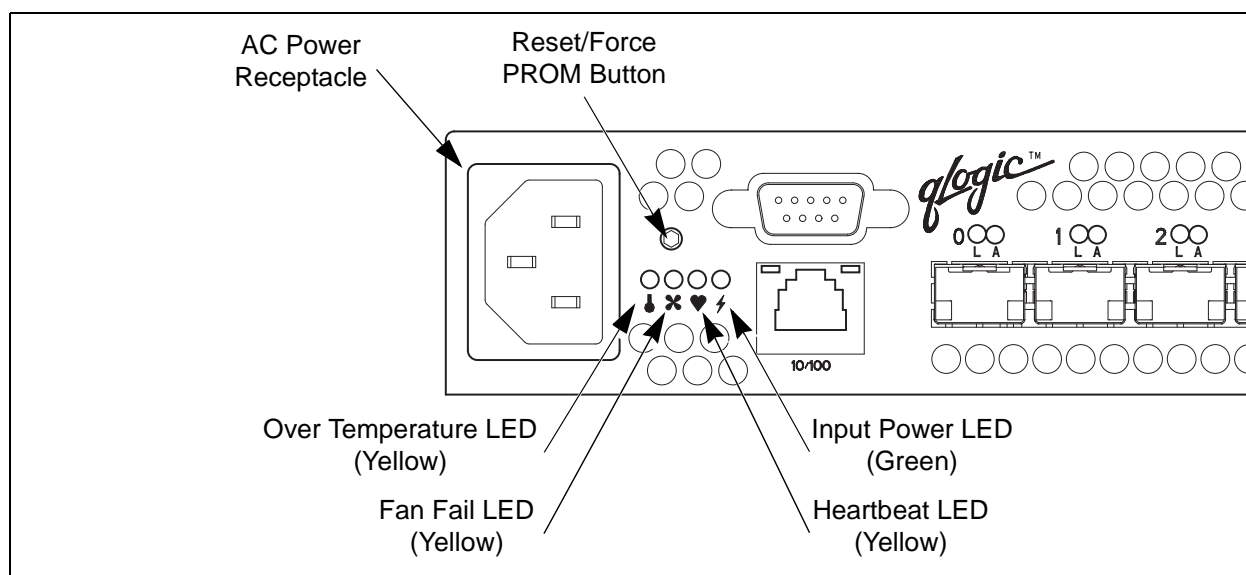


Figure 2-2. Chassis Controls and LEDs

2.1.1

Reset/Force PROM Button

The Reset/Force PROM button is a dual-function momentary switch on the front panel. Its purpose is to reset the switch or to place the switch in force PROM mode. Force PROM mode causes the switch to access PROM when flash memory or the resident configuration file is corrupted. Placing the switch in force PROM mode forces the default IP address of 10.0.0.1. To exit force PROM mode, reset the switch either by pressing the Reset/Force PROM button or power cycling the switch. Refer to ["Recovering a Switch" on page 5-9](#) for more information about using force PROM mode.

2.1.1.1

Resetting a Switch

To reset the switch, use a pointed tool to press and release (less than 2 seconds) the Reset/Force PROM button. The switch will respond as follows:

1. All of the chassis LEDs will illuminate and then extinguish leaving only the Input Power LED illuminated.
2. After approximately 1 minute, the power-on self test begins illuminating all chassis LEDs.
3. When the POST is complete, the chassis LEDs extinguish leaving the Input Power LED illuminated and the Heartbeat LED flashing once per second.

2.1.1.2

Placing the Switch in Force PROM Mode

To place the switch in force PROM mode, do the following:

1. Isolate the switch from the fabric.
2. Press and hold the Reset/Force PROM button with a pointed tool for about 4 seconds. When the Input Power LED alone is illuminated, release the button.
3. After approximately 1 minute, the power-on self test begins illuminating all chassis LEDs.
4. When the POST is complete, the chassis LEDs extinguish leaving the Input Power LED and the Heartbeat LED illuminated. The Heartbeat LED illuminates continuously while the switch is in force PROM mode.

To exit force PROM mode and return to normal operation, reset the switch.

2.1.2

Over Temperature LED (Yellow)

The Over Temperature LED provides status information about the air temperature inside the switch. This LED illuminates to indicate that the switch logic circuitry is overheating. Refer to [Section 5 Diagnostics/Troubleshooting](#) for information about troubleshooting over temperature conditions.

2.1.3

Fan Fail LED (Yellow)

The Fan Fail LED indicates operational status of the fan. This LED illuminates if the speed of the fan falls below the normal range. If the Fan Fail LED illuminates, isolate the switch from the fabric, unplug the switch from the AC power source, and contact your authorized maintenance provider.

2.1.4

Heartbeat LED (Yellow)

The Heartbeat LED indicates the status of the internal switch processor and the results of the Power On Self Test (POST). Following a normal power-up, the Heartbeat LED blinks about once per second to indicate that the switch passed the POST and that the internal switch processor is running. In force PROM mode, the Heartbeat LED illuminates continuously. Refer to "[Heartbeat LED Blink Patterns](#)" on page 5-1 for more information about Heartbeat LED blink patterns.

2.1.5

Input Power LED (Green)

The Input Power LED indicates the voltage status at the switch logic circuitry. This LED illuminates when the switch logic circuitry is receiving the proper DC voltages.

2.2

Fibre Channel Ports

Each SANbox2-8c switch has 8 Fibre Channel ports numbered 0–7 as shown in [Figure 2-3](#). Each of these ports is served by a Small Form-Factor Pluggable (SFP) optical transceiver. The ports self discover the proper mode when connected to public devices and other switches. You can also configure any port to support a loop of private devices.

Each port has its own Logged-In LED and Activity LED as shown in [Figure 2-3](#). The Logged-In LED indicates whether the port and its connected device are logged into the fabric. The Activity LED indicates the frequency at which frames are entering or leaving the port.

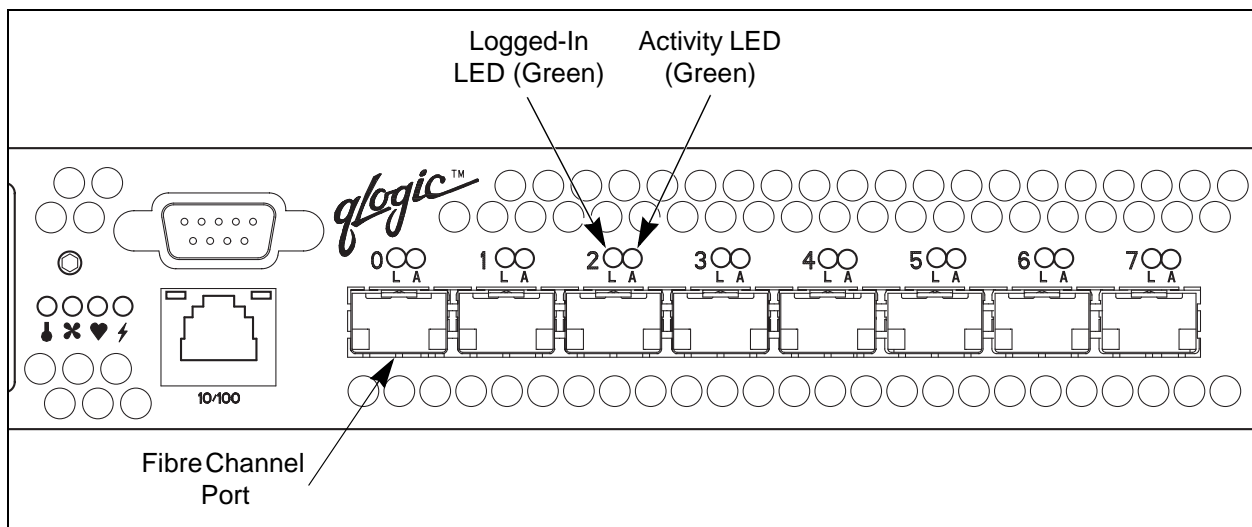


Figure 2-3. Fibre Channel Ports

2.2.1

Small Form-Factor Pluggable (SFP) Transceivers

SFP transceivers plug into the ports; duplex fiber optic cables plug into the transceivers which then connect to the devices. A port is capable of transmitting at 1 Gbps or 2 Gbps; however, the transceiver must be capable of 2 Gbps for the port to deliver at that rate.

The SFP transceivers are hot swappable. This means that you can remove or install an SFP transceiver while the switch is operating without harming the switch or the transceiver. However, communication with the connected device will be interrupted. Refer to ["Install SFP Transceivers" on page 4-4](#) for information about installing and removing SFP transceivers.

2.2.2

Logged-In LED

The Logged-in LED indicates the logged-in or initialization status of the connected devices. After successful completion of the POST, the switch extinguishes all Logged-In LEDs. Following a successful loop initialization or port log-in, the switch illuminates the corresponding logged-in LED. This shows that the port is properly connected and able to communicate with its attached devices. The Logged-In LED remains illuminated as long as the port is initialized or logged-in. An Logged-In LED will also illuminate when the port has been designated as a donor port and its buffer credits are being used by another port. Refer to ["Distance" on page 3-6](#) for more information about extended credits and donor ports.

If the port connection is broken or an error occurs that disables the port, the Logged-In LED will flash. Refer to ["Logged-In LED Indications" on page 5-5](#) for more information about the Logged-In LED.

2.2.3

Activity LED

The Activity LED indicates that data is passing through the port. Each frame that enters or leaves the port causes this LED to illuminate for 50 milliseconds. This makes it possible to observe the transmission of a single frame. When extending credits, an Activity LED for a donor port will reflect the traffic of the recipient port. Refer to ["Distance" on page 3-6](#) for more information about extended credits and donor ports.

2.2.4

Port Modes

SANbox2-8c switches support the following port modes:

- Generic ports (GL_Port and G_Port)
- Fabric ports (FL_Port and F_Port)
- Translated loop ports (TL_Port)
- Expansion ports (E_Port)

Switches come from the factory with all ports configured as GL_Ports. GL_Ports self-configure in the following ways:

- FL_Port when connected to a loop of public devices
- F_Port when connected to a single public device. If the device is a single device on a loop, the GL_Port will attempt to configure first as an F_Port, then if that fails, as an FL_Port.
- E_Port when connected to another FC-SW-2 compliant switch

G_Ports self-configure in the following ways:

- F_Port when connected to a public device
- E_Port when connected to another FC-SW-2 compliant switch

A TL_Port supports private loop devices and must be configured explicitly. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for more information about defining port modes.

2.2.4.1

Fabric Ports

An FL_Port can support a loop of up to 126 public devices. An FL_Port can also configure itself during the fabric login process as an F_Port when connected to a single public device (N_Port).

2.2.4.2

Translated Loop Port

A TL_Port supports a loop of up to 125 private initiator devices or up to 124 private target devices with the ability to communicate with “off-loop” devices. This includes public fabric devices and private devices on other TL_Ports. TL_Ports connect to devices that conform to the Fibre Channel-Private Loop SCSI Direct Attach (FC-PLDA) standard. Devices connected to TL_Ports are registered with the Name Server.

A TL_Port acts as a proxy for the off-loop device translating private frames into and from public frames. Each TL_Port can proxy up to 63 off-loop initiator devices or up to 64 off-loop target and initiator devices. The set of off-loop devices are maintained in the TL_Port's translation entries list.

- For a TL_Port connected to private target devices, the switch firmware automatically creates an entry in the translation entries list for each off-loop initiator device that attempts to establish communication. Soft or ACL zoning can be used to limit the number of potential initiators to 63. Zone membership must be done by worldwide name, or domain ID and port ID.
- For a TL_Port connected to private initiator devices, the switch firmware automatically creates an entry in the translation entries list for up to 64 target and initiator devices that are members of the same soft or ACL zone. Zone membership must be done by worldwide name, or domain ID and port ID.

2.2.4.3

Expansion Port

E_Ports enable you to expand the fabric by connecting SANbox2-8c switches with other FC-SW-2 compliant switches. SANbox2-8c switches self-discover all inter-switch connections. Refer to ["Multiple Chassis Fabrics" on page 3-2](#) for more information about multiple chassis fabrics.

2.3 Ethernet Port

The Ethernet port shown in [Figure 2-4](#) is an RJ-45 connector that provides a connection to a management workstation. A management workstation can be a Windows, Solaris, or Linux workstation that is used to configure and manage the switch fabric. You can manage the switch over an Ethernet connection using SANbox Manager, the Command Line Interface (CLI), or SNMP. The switch through which the fabric is managed is called the fabric management switch.

The Ethernet port has two LEDs: the Link Status LED (green) and the Activity LED (yellow). The Link Status LED illuminates continuously when an Ethernet connection has been established. The Activity LED illuminates when data is being transmitted or received over the Ethernet connection.

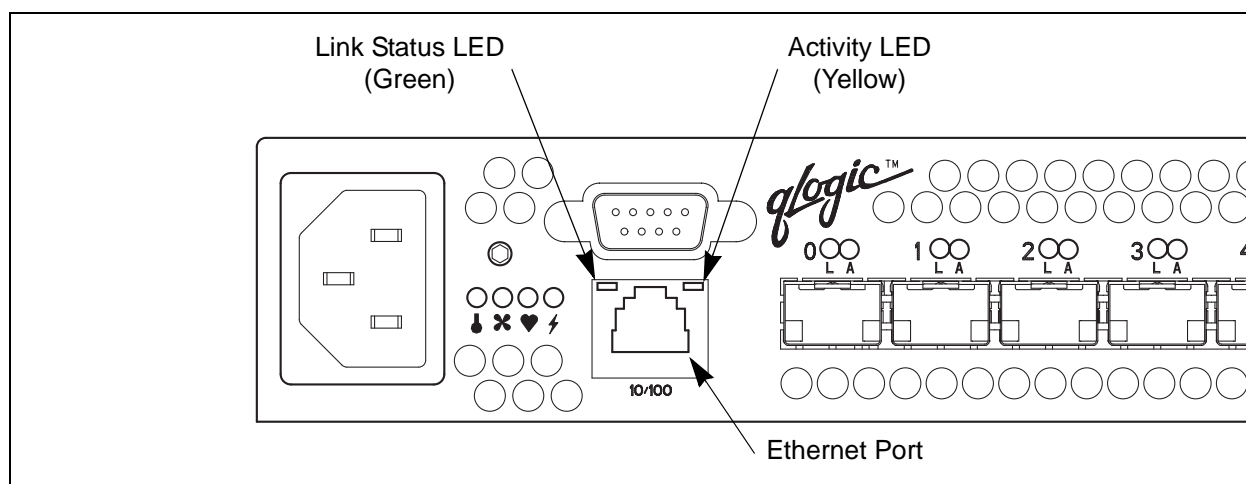


Figure 2-4. Ethernet Port

2.4 Serial Port

The SANbox2-8c switch is equipped with an RS-232 serial port for maintenance purposes as shown in [Figure 2-5](#). You can manage the switch through the serial port using the CLI.

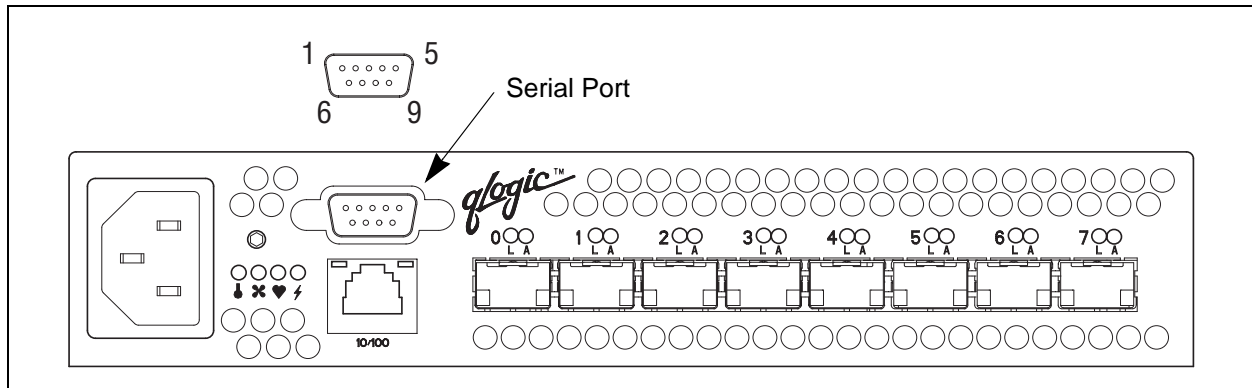


Figure 2-5. Serial Port and Pin Identification

The serial port connector requires a null-modem F/F DB9 cable. The pins on the switch RS-232 connector are shown in [Figure 2-5](#) and identified in [Table 2-1](#). Refer to "[Connect the Management Workstation to the Switch](#)" on [page 4-7](#) for information about connecting the management workstation through the serial port.

Table 2-1. Serial Port Pin Identification

| Pin Number | Description |
|------------|---------------------------|
| 1 | Carrier Detect (DCD) |
| 2 | Receive Data (RxD) |
| 3 | Transmit Data (TxD) |
| 4 | Data Terminal Ready (DTR) |
| 5 | Signal Ground (GND) |
| 6 | Data Set Ready (DSR) |
| 7 | Request to Send (RTS) |
| 8 | Clear to Send (CTS) |
| 9 | Ring Indicator (RI) |

2.5

Power Supply and Fan

The power supply converts standard 110 or 230 VAC to DC voltages for the various switch circuits. An internal fan provides cooling. Depending on the switch model, air flow is front-to-back or back-to-front. To energize the switch, plug the power cord into the switch AC receptacle and into a 110 or 230 VAC power source.

Note: The power supply and fan are not field replaceable units.

2.6

Switch Management

SANbox Manager is a Java® application that provides a graphical user interface for fabric management. This application runs on a Windows®, Solaris®, or Linux® workstation. The management workstation connects to the fabric directly through one switch's Ethernet port and provides in-band management for all other switches in the fabric. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for information about the SANbox Manager application and its use.

In addition to SANbox Manager, the switch supports the following management tools:

- Command Line Interface (CLI)
- File Transfer Protocol (FTP)
- Simple Network Management Protocol (SNMP)

The CLI provides monitoring and configuration functions by which the administrator can manage the fabric and its switches. Refer to [Appendix B Command Line Interface](#) for more information.

FTP provides a command line interface for loading new firmware.

SNMP provides monitoring and trap functions for the fabric. SANbox2 firmware supports SNMP version 1, 2, and 3, the Fibre Alliance Management Information Base (FA-MIB) version 4.0, and the Fabric Element Management Information Base (FE-MIB) RFC 2837. Traps are formatted using SNMP version 2.

Section 3

Planning

Consider the following when planning a fabric:

- Devices
- Multiple chassis fabrics
- Performance
- Device access
- Fabric management
- Fabric security

3.1

Devices

When planning a fabric, consider the number of devices and the anticipated demand. This will determine the number of ports that are needed and in turn the number of switches. Consider how many and what types of switches are needed.

Consider the distribution of public and private devices as well as targets and initiators. Public devices have full Fibre Channel addressing capability, and therefore can communicate with any other public device on the fabric. An F_Port supports a single public device. An FL_Port can support up to 126 public devices in an arbitrated loop.

Private devices do not have full Fibre Channel addressing capability, only the Arbitrated Loop Physical Address (ALPA) portion. A TL_Port provides a proxy for a loop of private initiator or target devices allowing communication with off-loop public and private devices. Consider the number of private devices in the fabric and the number of off-loop devices with which the private devices must communicate.

- A TL_Port can support up to 125 private initiator devices and maintain communications with up to 64 off-loop target devices.
- A TL_Port can support up to 124 private target devices and maintain communications with up to 63 off-loop initiator devices.

The Fibre Channel switch uses SFP optical transceivers, but the device host bus adapters you are using may not. Consider whether the device adapters use SFP transceivers or Gigabit Interface Converters (GBIC), and choose fiber optic cable accordingly. Use LC-type cable connectors for SFP transceivers and SC-type cable connectors for GBIC transceivers.

3.2

Multiple Chassis Fabrics

By connecting switches together you can expand the number of available ports for devices. Each switch in the fabric is identified by a unique domain ID, and the fabric will automatically resolve domain ID conflicts. Because the ports are self-configuring, you can connect SANbox2-8c and other FC-SW-2 compliant switches together in a wide variety of topologies.

3.2.1

Domain ID, Principal Priority, and Domain ID Lock

The following switch configuration settings affect multiple chassis fabrics:

- Domain ID
- Principal priority
- Domain ID lock

The domain ID is a unique number from 1–239 that identifies each switch in a fabric. The principal priority is a number (1–255) that determines the principal switch which manages domain ID assignments for the fabric. The switch with the highest principal priority (1 is high, 255 is low) becomes the principal switch. If the principal priority is the same for all switches in a fabric, the switch with the lowest WWN becomes the principal switch.

The domain ID lock allows (FALSE) or prevents (TRUE) the reassignment of the domain ID on that switch. Switches come from the factory with the domain ID set to 1, the domain ID lock set to FALSE, and the principal priority set to 254. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for information about changing the domain ID using SANbox Manager. Refer to the ["Set Config Command" on page B-25](#) for information about changing the default domain ID, domain ID lock, and principal priority parameters.

An unresolved domain ID conflict means that the switch with the higher WWN will isolate as a separate fabric, and the Logged-In LEDs on both switches will flash to show the affected ports. If you connect a new switch to an existing fabric with its domain ID unlocked, and a domain ID conflict occurs, the new switch will isolate as a separate fabric. However, you can remedy this by resetting the new switch or taking it offline then back online. The principal switch will reassign the domain ID and the switch will join the fabric.

Note: Domain ID reassignment is not reflected in zoning that is defined by domain ID/port number pair or Fibre Channel address. You must reconfigure zones that are affected by domain ID reassignment. To prevent zoning definitions from becoming invalid, use the Set Config Switch command to lock the domain IDs. Refer to the ["Set Config Command" on page B-25](#).

3.2.2

Common Topologies

This section describes three commonly used topologies:

- Cascade
- Mesh
- Multistage®

3.2.2.1

Cascade Topology

A cascade topology describes a fabric in which the switches are connected in a line. If you connect the last switch back to the first switch, you create a cascade-with-a-loop topology as shown in [Figure 3-1](#). The loop reduces latency because any switch can route traffic in the shortest direction to any switch in the loop. The loop also provides failover should a switch fail.

The cascade fabric shown in [Figure 3-1](#) has the following characteristics:

- Each chassis link contributes up to 200 MB/s of bandwidth between chassis, 400 MB/s in full duplex. However, because of the structure of the cascade topology, the bandwidth will be shared between devices on other chassis.
- Latency between any two ports is no more than three chassis hops.
- 24 Fibre Channel ports are available for devices.

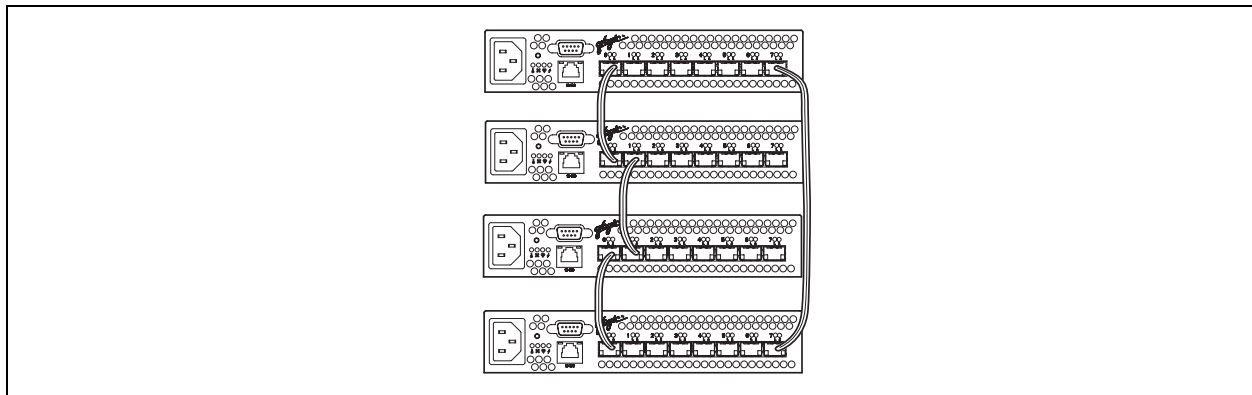


Figure 3-1. Cascade-with-a-Loop Topology

3.2.2.2

Mesh Topology

A mesh topology describes a fabric in which each chassis has at least one port directly connected to every chassis in the fabric. The mesh fabric shown in [Figure 3-2](#) has the following characteristics:

- Each link contributes up to 200 MB/s of bandwidth between switches, 400 MB/s in full duplex. Because of multiple parallel paths, there is less competition for this bandwidth than with a cascade or a Multistage topology.
- Latency between any two device ports is no more than two chassis hops.
- 20 Fibre Channel ports are available for devices

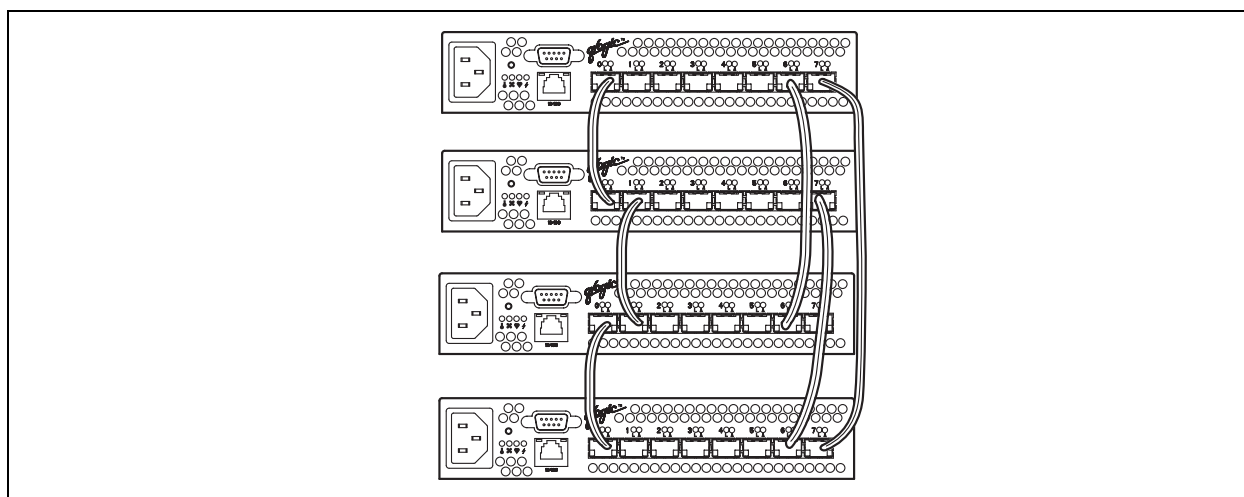


Figure 3-2. Mesh Topology

3.2.2.3

Multistage Topology

A Multistage topology describes a fabric in which two or more edge switches connect to one or more core switches. Each additional core switch increases the bandwidth to each edge switch by 200 MB/s. The Multistage fabric shown in [Figure 3-3](#) has the following characteristics:

- Each link contributes up to 200 MB/s of bandwidth between chassis. Competition for this bandwidth is less than that of a cascade topology, but greater than that of the mesh topology.
- Latency between any two device ports is three chassis hops.
- 26 Fibre Channel ports are available for devices

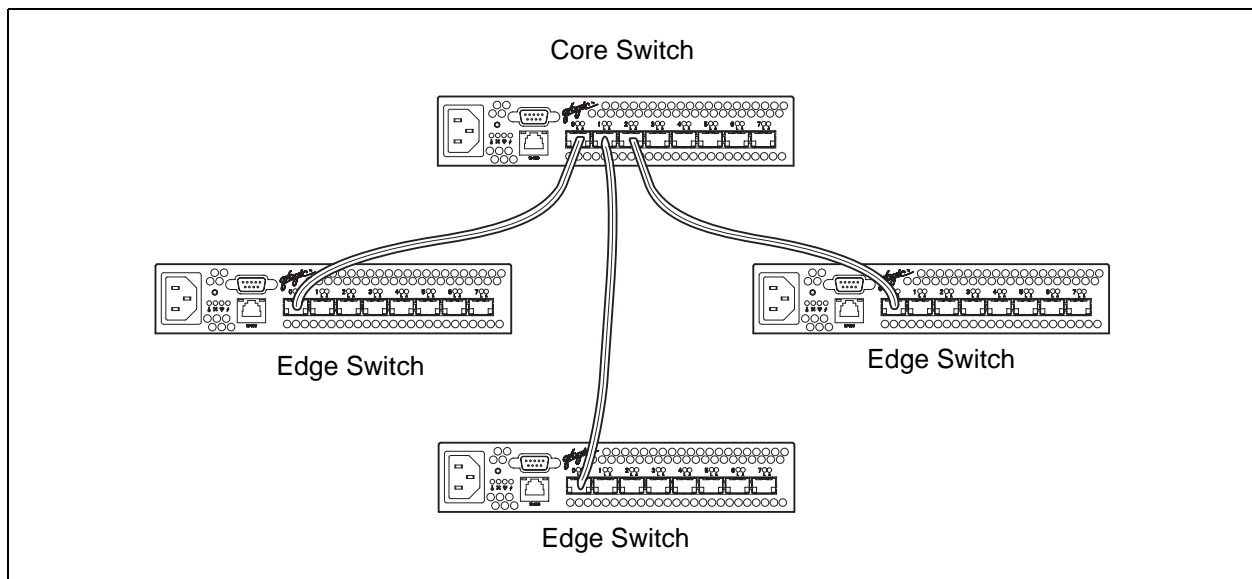


Figure 3-3. Multistage Topology

3.3 Performance

The SANbox2-8c switch supports class 2 and class 3 Fibre Channel service at transmission rates of 1 Gbps or 2 Gbps with a maximum frame size of 2148 bytes. A port can transmit or receive at 1 Gbps or 2 Gbps depending on the device to which it is connected. The port discovers the transmission speed prior to login when the connected device powers up. Related performance characteristics include the following:

- Distance
- Bandwidth
- Latency

3.3.1 Distance

Consider the physical distribution of devices and switches in the fabric. Choose SFP transceivers that are compatible with the cable type, distance, Fibre Channel revision level, and the device host bus adapter. Refer to [Appendix A Specifications](#) for more information about cable types and SFP transceivers.

Each port is supported by a data buffer with a 12 credit capacity; that is, 12 maximum sized frames. For fibre optic cables, this enables full bandwidth over a distance of 20 kilometers at 1 Gbps (0.6 credits/Km), or 10 kilometers at 2 Gbps (1.2 credits/Km). Beyond this distance, however, there is some loss of efficiency because the transmitting port must wait for an acknowledgement before sending the next frame.

Longer distances can be spanned at full bandwidth by extending credits on G_Ports and F_Ports. Each port can donate up to 11 credits to a pool from which a recipient port can borrow. For example, you can configure a recipient port to borrow up to 66 credits from 6 ports for a total of 78 credits. This will support communication over approximately 130 Km at 1 Gbps ($78 \div 0.6$) or 65 Km at 2 Gbps ($78 \div 1.2$).

You can configure recipient and donor ports using SANbox Manager or the Set Config command. Refer to the ["Set Config Command" on page B-25](#) for more information.

3.3.2

Bandwidth

Bandwidth is a measure of the volume of data that can be transmitted at a given transmission rate. A port can transmit or receive at 1 Gbps or 2 Gbps depending on the device to which it is connected. The switch supports all transmission rate combinations as shown in [Table 3-1](#).

Table 3-1. Port-to-Port Transmission Combinations

| Source Port Rate | Destination Port Rate | Maximum Bandwidth |
|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
| 1 Gbps | 1 Gbps | 100 MB |
| 1 Gbps | 2 Gbps | 100 MB |
| 1 Gbps x 2 ports | 2 Gbps | 200 MB |
| 2 Gbps | 1 Gbps x 2 ports | 100 MB each port ¹ |
| 2 Gbps | 2 Gbps | 200 MB |

¹Bandwidth will be less for larger sequence sizes.

In multiple chassis fabrics, each link between chassis contributes 100 or 200 megabytes of bandwidth between those chassis. When additional bandwidth is needed between devices, increase the number of links between the connecting switches. The switch guarantees in-order-delivery with any number of links between chassis.

3.3.3

Latency

Latency is a measure of how fast a frame travels from one port to another. The factors that affect latency include transmission rate and the source/destination port relationship as shown in [Table 3-2](#).

Table 3-2. Port-to-Port Latency

| Source/Destination Rates | Same Switch |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| 1 Gbps - 1 Gbps | < 1 µsec |
| 2 Gbps - 2 Gbps | < 0.5 µsec |

3.4 Device Access

Consider device access needs within the fabric. Access is controlled by the use of zones and zone sets. Some zoning strategies include the following:

- Separate devices that use different operating systems.
- Separate devices that have no need to communicate with other devices in the fabric or have classified data.
- Separate devices into department, administrative, or other functional grouping.
- Group TL_Port devices with targets and initiators to allow automatic discovery.
- Reserve a path and its bandwidth from one port to another.

A zone is a named group of devices that can communicate with each other. Membership in a zone can be defined by switch port number, port Fibre Channel address, or by device worldwide name (WWN). Devices can communicate only with devices that are members of the same zone. A zone can be a member of more than one zone set. Several zone sets can be defined for a fabric, but only one zone set can be active at one time. The active zone set determines the current fabric zoning.

A zoning database is maintained on each switch consisting of all inactive zone sets, the active zone set, all zones, aliases, and their membership. The SANbox2-8c switch supports the following maximum limits:

- 256 zone sets
- 256 zones
- 1000 total zone set members
- 2000 members per zone
- 256 aliases
- 2000 members per alias
- 2000 total number of alias and zone members

The following zone types are supported:

- Soft zone
- Access Control List (ACL) - hard zone
- Virtual Private Fabric (VPF) - hard zone

3.4.1

Soft Zones

Soft zoning divides the fabric for purposes of controlling discovery. Members of the same soft zone automatically discover and communicate freely with all other members of the same zone. The soft zone boundary is not secure; traffic across soft zones can occur if addressed correctly. The following rules apply to soft zones:

- Soft zones that include members from multiple switches need not include the ports of the inter-switch links.
- Soft zone boundaries yield to ACL and VPF zone boundaries.
- Soft zones can overlap; that is, a port can be a member of more than one soft zone.
- Membership can be defined by Fibre Channel address, port ID and domain ID, or worldwide name.
- Soft zoning supports all port modes.

3.4.2

Access Control List Hard Zones

Access Control List (ACL) zoning divides the fabric for purposes of controlling discovery and inbound traffic. ACL zoning is a type of hard zoning that is hardware enforced. This type of zoning is useful for controlling access to certain devices without totally isolating them from the fabric. Members can communicate with each other and transmit outside the ACL zone, but cannot receive inbound traffic from outside the zone. The following rules apply to ACL zones:

- The ACL zone boundary is secure against inbound traffic.
- ACL zones can overlap; that is, a port can be a member of more than one ACL zone.
- ACL zones that include members from multiple switches need not include the ports of the inter-switch links.
- ACL zone boundaries supersede soft zone boundaries, but yield to VPF zone boundaries.
- Membership can be defined only by domain ID and port ID.
- ACL zoning supports all port modes except TL_Port.

3.4.3

Virtual Private Fabric Hard Zones

Virtual Private Fabric (VPF) zoning divides the fabric for purposes of controlling discovery and both inbound and outbound traffic. This type of zoning is useful for providing security and reserving paths between devices to guarantee bandwidth. VPF zoning is a type of hard zoning that is hardware enforced. Members can only transmit to and receive from members of the same VPF zone. The VPF zone boundary is secure against both inbound and outbound traffic. The following rules apply to VPF zones:

- VPF zones that include members from multiple switches must include the ports of the inter-switch links.
- VPF zones cannot cross I/O blades.
- VPF zones cannot overlap; that is, a port can be a member of only one VPF zone.
- VPF zone boundaries supersede both soft and ACL zone boundaries.
- Membership can be defined only by domain ID and port ID.
- VPF zoning supports all port modes.

3.5

Fabric Management

The SANbox Manager application and CLI execute on a management workstation that provides for the configuration, control, maintenance of the fabric. Supported platforms include Windows, Windows NT, Solaris, and Linux. The SANbox Manager application can manage multiple fabrics. Consider how many fabrics will be managed, how many management workstations are needed, and whether the fabrics will be managed with the CLI or SANbox Manager.

The switch supports a maximum of 15 user logins. This includes SANbox Manager inband and out-of-band logins, Telnet out-of-band logins, and SNMP out-of-band logins. Of this 15, a maximum of 10 SANbox Manager logins are allowed.

3.6

Fabric Security

You manage fabric security on a switch basis through the creation of user accounts. Each account consists of an account name, a password, and an authority level. There are two authority levels: User and Admin. These authority levels apply to SANbox Manager and to the CLI. User authority permits only monitoring and display tasks. Admin authority permits all management tasks including user administration. Consider your fabric security needs, who the system administrators will be, and authority levels they should have.

- Refer to ["Commands" on page B-3](#) for more information about authority levels.
- Refer to the ["User Command" on page B-65](#) for information about creating user accounts.
- Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#) and the System keyword for information about fabric security and the enforcement of user accounts.

Notes

Section 4 Installation

This section describes how to install and configure the SANbox2-8c switch. It also describes how to load new firmware and how to recover a disabled switch.

4.1

Site Requirements

The following items are required for the installation of a SANbox2-8c switch:

- Fabric management workstation
- Power requirements
- Environmental conditions

4.1.1

Fabric Management Workstation

SANbox Manager requires a management workstation equipped as described in [Table 4-1](#):

Table 4-1. Management Workstation Requirements

| | |
|------------------|---|
| Operating System | ■ Windows® NT, 2000, 95/98 ■ Linux® 6.2 Red Hat® ■ Solaris™ |
| Memory | 128 MB or more |
| Disk Space | 150 MB per installation |
| Processor | 300 MHz or faster |
| Hardware | CD-ROM drive, RS-232 serial port, RJ-45 Ethernet port |
| Internet Browser | Microsoft® Internet Explorer® or Netscape Navigator® |

Telnet workstations require an RJ-45 Ethernet port and an operating system with a Telnet client.

4.1.2

Switch Power Requirements

Operating voltage requirements are as follows:

90 to 137 Vac; 47 to 63 Hz
180 to 264 Vac; 47 to 63 Hz

4.1.3

Environmental Conditions

Consider the factors that affect the climate conditions in your facility such as heat dissipation and ventilation. The switch requires the following operating conditions:

- Operating temperature range: 5 to 50°C (41 to 122°F)
- Relative humidity: 15% to 80%, non-condensing

4.2

Installing a Switch

Unpack the switch and accessories. The SANbox2-8c product is shipped with the components shown in [Figure 4-1](#):

- SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel Switch (1) with firmware installed
- Power cord (1)
- Rubber feet (4)
- CD-ROM containing the SANbox Manager switch management application, release notes, and documentation

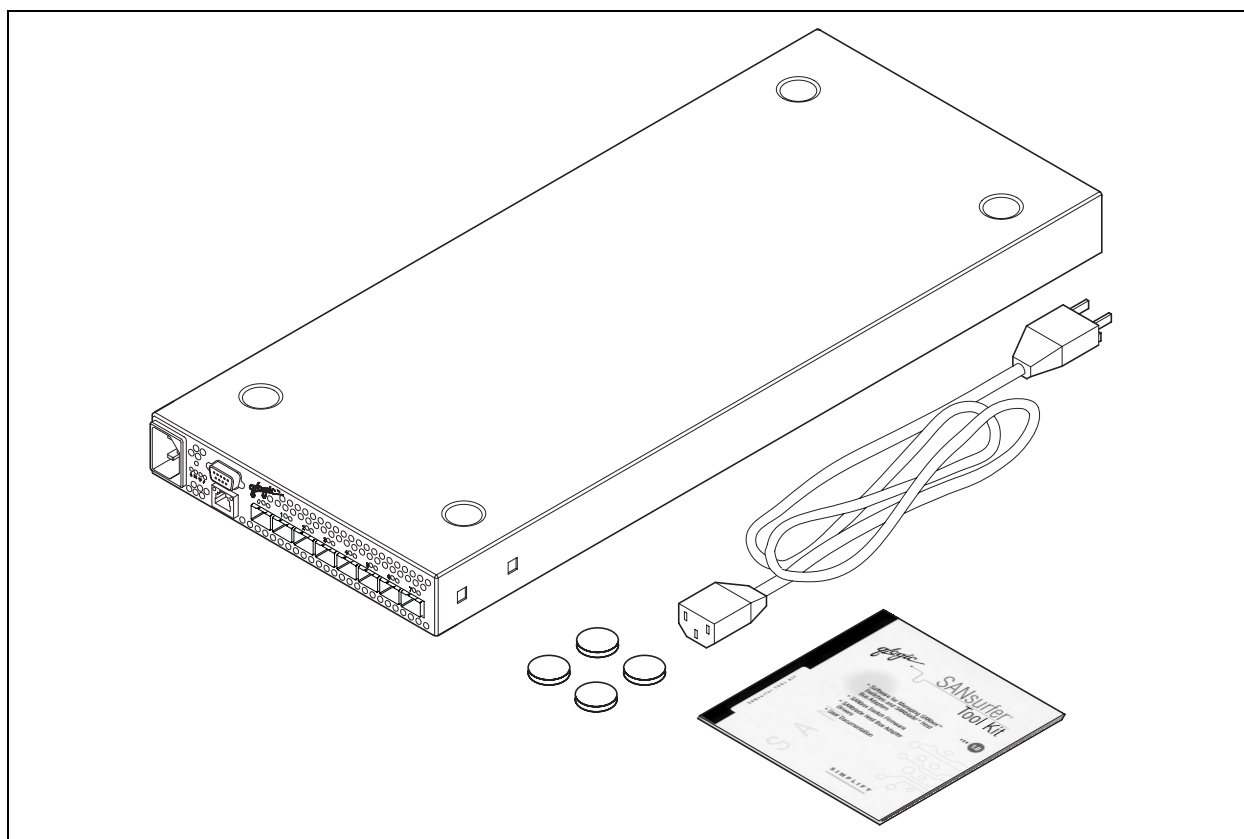


Figure 4-1. SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel Switch

Installing a SANbox2-8c switch involves the following steps:

1. Mount the switch
2. Install SFP transceivers
3. Connect the switch to the AC power source
4. Connect the management workstation to the switch
5. Install the SANbox Manager application
6. Configure the switch
7. Configure the ports
8. Cable devices to the switch

4.2.1

Mount the Switch

The switch can be placed on a flat surface and stacked or mounted in a 19" EIA rack. The top of each chassis has dimples to receive the rubber feet of a second chassis stacked on top. Without the rubber feet, the switch occupies 1U of space in an EIA rack. A rail kit is required for rack mounting and is available through QLogic Corporation.

WARNING!! Mount switches in the rack so that the weight is distributed evenly. An unevenly loaded rack can become unstable possibly resulting in equipment damage or personal injury.

CAUTION! If the switch is mounted in a closed or multi-unit rack assembly, make sure that the operating temperature inside the rack enclosure does not exceed the maximum rated ambient temperature. Refer to ["Switch Environmental" on page A-3](#). Do not restrict chassis air flow. Allow 16 cm (6.5 in) minimum clearance at the front and rear of the rack for service access and ventilation.

Multiple rack-mounted units connected to the AC supply circuit may overload that circuit or overload the AC supply wiring. Consider the power source capacity and the total power usage of all switches on the circuit. Refer to ["Switch Electrical" on page A-3](#).

Reliable grounding in the rack must be maintained from the switch chassis to the AC power source.

4.2.2

Install SFP Transceivers

The switch has been validated with transceivers that support a variety of interconnection media. To install, insert the transceiver into the port and gently press until it snaps in place as shown in [Figure 4-2](#). To remove a transceiver, gently press the transceiver into the port to release the tension, then pull on the release tab or lever and remove the transceiver. Different transceiver manufacturers have different release mechanisms. Consult the documentation for your transceiver.

Note: The SFP transceiver will fit only one way. If the SFP does not install under gentle pressure, flip it over and try again.

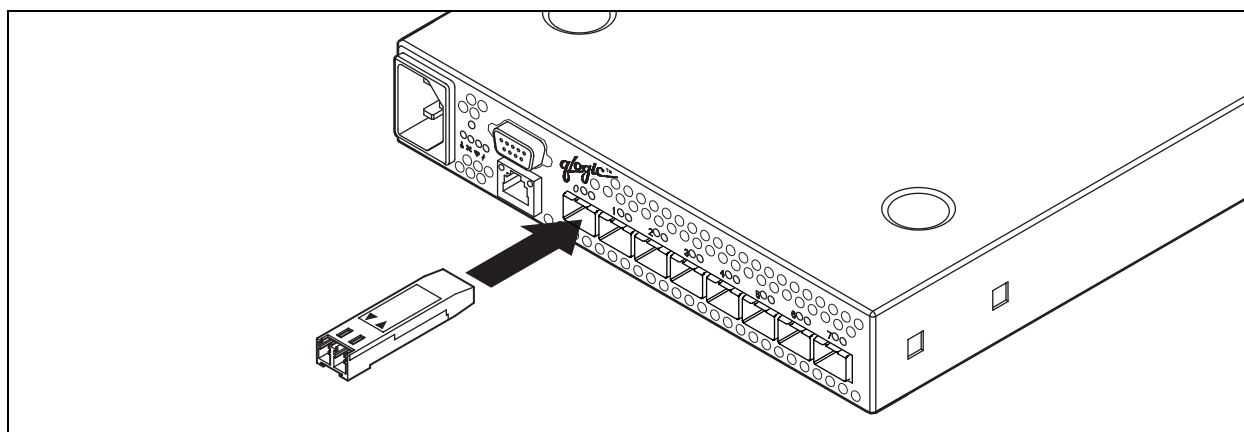


Figure 4-2. SFP Transceiver Installation

4.2.3

Connect the Switch to AC Power

WARNING!! This product is supplied with a 3-wire power cord and plug for the user's safety. Use this power cord in conjunction with a properly grounded outlet to avoid electrical shock. An electrical outlet that is not correctly wired could place hazardous voltage on metal parts of the Switch chassis. It is the responsibility of the customer to ensure that the outlet is correctly wired and grounded to prevent electrical shock.

You may require a different power cord in some countries because the plug on the cable supplied with the equipment will not fit your electrical outlet. In this case, you must supply your own power cord. The cable you use must meet the following requirements:

For 125 Volt electrical service, the cable must be rated at 10 Amps and be approved by UL and CSA.

For 250 Volt electrical service: The cable must be rated at 10 Amps, meet the requirements of H05VV-F, and be approved by VDE, SEMKO, and DEMKO.

AVERTISSEMENT!!

Pour la sécurité de l'utilisateur, l'appareil est livré avec un câble d'alimentation trifilaire et une fiche. Pour éviter toute secousse électrique, enficher ce câble à une prise correctement mise à la terre. Une prise électrique dont les fils sont mal branchés peut créer une tension dangereuse dans les pièces métalliques du châssis Switch. Pour éviter toute secousse électrique, s'assurer que les fils sont correctement branchés et que la prise est bien mise à la terre.

Dans certains pays les prises électriques sont de modèle différent; on ne peut y enficher le câble de l'appareil. On doit donc en utiliser un autre ayant les caractéristiques suivantes:

Alimentation 125 V: Câble pour courant nominal de 10 A, agréé LAC et CSA.

Alimentation 250 V: Câble pour courant nominal de 10 A, conforme au H05VV-F, et agréé VDE, SEMKO et DEMKO.

WARNUNG!!

Dieses Produkt wird mit einem 3-adrigen Netzkabel mit Stecker geliefert. Dieses Kabel erfüllt die Sicherheitsanforderungen und sollte an einer vorschriftsmäßigen Schukosteckdose angeschlossen werden, um die Gefahr eines elektrischen Schlages zu vermeiden. Elektrosteckdosen, die nicht richtig verdrahtet sind, können gefährliche Hochspannung an den Metallteilen des Switch-Gehäuses verursachen. Der Kunde trägt die Verantwortung für eine vorschriftsmäßige Verdrahtung und Erdung der Steckdose zur Vermeidung eines elektrischen Schlages.

In manchen Ländern ist eventuell die Verwendung eines anderen Kabels erforderlich, da der Stecker des mitgelieferten Kabels nicht in die landesüblichen Steckdosen paßt. In diesem Fall müssen Sie sich ein Kabel besorgen, daß die folgenden Anforderungen erfüllt:

Für 125 Volt-Netze: 10 Ampere Kabel mit UL- und CSA-Zulassung.

Für 250 Volt-Netze: 10 Ampere Kabel gemäß den Anforderungen der H05VV-F und VDE-, SEMKO- und DEMKO-Zulassung.

To energize the switch, connect the power cord to the AC power receptacle on the front of the switch chassis and to a grounded AC outlet. The switch responds in the following sequence:

1. The chassis LEDs (Fan Fail, Over Temperature, Heartbeat, Input Power) illuminate followed by all port Logged-In LEDs.
2. After a couple seconds, the Over Temperature, Fan Fail, and Heartbeat LEDs are extinguished while the Input Power LED remains illuminated.
3. After approximately one minute, the POST executes and all LEDs illuminate.
4. When the POST is complete, all LEDs are extinguished except the Input Power LED and the Heartbeat LED:
 - The Input Power LED remains illuminated indicating that the switch logic circuitry is receiving DC voltage. If not, contact your authorized maintenance provider.
 - The Heartbeat LED indicates the results of the POST. The POST tests the condition of firmware, memories, data-paths, and switch logic circuitry. If the Heartbeat LED blinks steadily about once per second, the POST was successful, and you can continue with the installation process. Any other blink pattern indicates that an error has occurred. Refer to "[Heartbeat LED Blink Patterns](#)" on page 5-1 for more information about error blink patterns.

4.2.4

Connect the Management Workstation to the Switch

Connect the management workstation to the switch in one of three ways:

- Indirect Ethernet connection from the management workstation to the switch RJ-45 Ethernet connector through an Ethernet switch or a hub. This requires a 10/100 Base-T straight cable as shown in [Figure 4-3](#). With this method, you can manage the switch with the SANbox Manager application or the CLI.
- Direct Ethernet connection from the management workstation to the switch RJ-45 Ethernet connector. This requires a 10/100 Base-T cross-over cable as shown in [Figure 4-3](#). With this method, you can manage the switch with the SANbox Manager application or the CLI.
- Serial port connection from the management workstation to the switch RS-232 serial port connector. This requires a null modem F/F DB9 cable as shown in [Figure 4-3](#). With this method, you can manage the switch with the CLI.

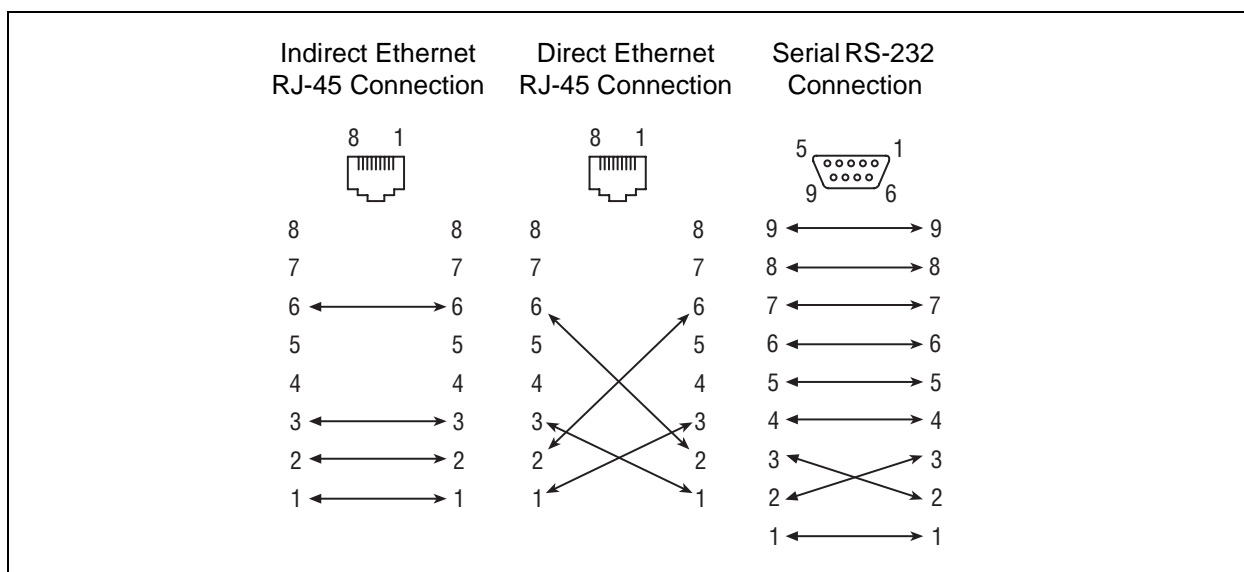


Figure 4-3. Ethernet and Serial Cable Connections

4.2.4.1

Ethernet Connection

To establish an Ethernet connection, do the following:

1. Connect a 10/100 Base-T cross-over cable from a COM port on the management workstation directly to the RJ-45 Ethernet port; or a 10/100 Base-T straight cable indirectly over an Ethernet network.
2. Open a command line window.
3. Open a Telnet session by entering the following command with the switch IP address. The default IP address is 10.0.0.1

```
telnet 10.0.0.1
```

4. Log in to the switch. If fabric security is disabled, account names and passwords are not enforced. Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#) for information about setting fabric security. The default account name and password are (admin, password).

```
SANbox2 Login: admin
```

```
Password: *****
```

4.2.4.2

Serial Connection

To establish a serial port connection, do the following:

1. Connect a null modem F/F DB9 cable from a COM port on the management workstation to the RS-232 serial port on the switch.
2. Configure the connection according to your platform:

■ For Windows:

- a. Open the HyperTerminal application on a Windows platform. Choose the **Start** button, select **Programs, Accessories, HyperTerminal, and HyperTerminal**.
- b. Enter a name for the switch connection and choose an icon in the Connection Description window. Choose the **OK** button.
- c. Select the COM port in the Connect To window and choose the **OK** button.
- d. Enter the following COM Port settings in the COM Properties window and choose the **OK** button.
 - ☐ Bits per second: 9600
 - ☐ Data Bits: 8
 - ☐ Parity: None
 - ☐ Stop Bits: 1
 - ☐ Flow Control: None

■ For Linux:

- a. Set up minicom to use the serial port. Create or modify the /etc/minirc.dfl file with the following content:

```
pr portdev/ttyS0
pu minit
pu mreset
pu mhangup
```

- b. Verify that all users have permission to run minicom. Review the /etc/minicom/users file and confirm that the line "ALL" exists or that there are specific user entries.
- c. Enter the following command at the Linux prompt:

```
minicom
```

■ For Solaris:

- a. Set up Solaris to use the serial port. Modify the /etc/remote file to include the following lines:

```
sanbox2:\
:dv=/dev/term/a:br#9600:el=C^S^Q^U^D:ie%$:oe=^D:
```

- b. Enter the following command at the Solaris prompt:

```
# tip sanbox2
```

3. Log in to the switch. If fabric security is disabled, account names and passwords are not enforced. Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#) for information about setting fabric security. The default account name and password are (admin, password).

```
SANbox2 Login: admin
```

```
Password: *****
```

4.2.5

Install SANbox Manager

You can install SANbox Manager on the Windows, Linux, and Solaris platforms. Refer to the subsection that corresponds to your workstation:

- [4.2.5.1 SANbox Manager Installation for Windows](#)
- [4.2.5.2 SANbox Manager Installation for Linux](#)
- [4.2.5.3 SANbox Manager Installation for Solaris](#)

4.2.5.1

SANbox Manager Installation for Windows

To install the SANbox Manager application on Windows from the SANsurfer Tool Kit CD-ROM, do the following:

1. Close all programs currently running, and insert the SANsurfer Tool Kit CD into the management workstation CD-ROM drive. If the start page does not open in your default browser, do the following:
 - a. Using Windows Explorer, double-click the drive letter which contains the CD.
 - b. Locate and double-click the **Start_Here.htm** file to open the start page in your default browser.
2. On the start page, choose the **SANbox Switch Software** button.
3. On the SANbox Switch Software page, scroll to the SANbox2-8c (2Gb) Series area.
4. In the Windows column, choose the **SANbox Manager** link to open the File Download window.
5. You have a choice of running the installation file from the SANsurfer Tool Kit CD-ROM or downloading the installation file to your hard drive. Choose one of the following:
 - Open the installation file from the SANsurfer Tool Kit CD-ROM and follow the SANbox Manager installation instructions.
 - Specify a location in which to save the **sansurfer_windows_install.exe** file, and choose the **Save** button. Double-click the saved **sansurfer_windows_install.exe** file and follow the SANbox Manager installation instructions.

4.2.5.2

SANbox Manager Installation for Linux

To install the SANbox Manager application on Linux from the SANsurfer Tool Kit CD-ROM, do the following:

1. Close all programs currently running, and insert the SANsurfer Tool Kit CD into the management workstation CD-ROM drive. If a file browser window opens showing icons for the contents of the CD-ROM, double-click the **Start_Here.htm** file to open the start page. If a file browser does not open, double-click the CD-ROM icon on the to open the browser. If there is no CD-ROM icon on the, do the following:
 - a. Open an xterm or other terminal window.
 - b. Mount the CD-ROM. From a shell prompt, enter the following command:


```
mount /mnt/cdrom
```
 - c. Execute your web browser to view the **Start_Here.htm** document using one of the following commands:


```
$mozilla file:/mnt/cdrom/Start_Here.htm
```

or

```
$netscape file:/mnt/cdrom/Start_Here.htm
```
 - d. The start page opens in your default browser.
2. On the start page, choose the **SANbox Switch Software** button.
3. On the SANbox Switch Software page, scroll to the SANbox2-8c (2Gb) Series area.
4. In the Linux column, choose the **SANbox Manager** link to open the Save As window.
5. Enter a path name to save the **sansurfer_linux_install.bin** file, and choose the **Save** button.
6. Open a terminal window for the directory in which the **sansurfer_linux_install.bin** file was saved, and enter the following command:


```
chmod +x sansurfer_linux_install.bin
```
7. Press the **Enter** key.
8. Enter the following command:


```
./sansurfer_linux_install.bin
```
9. Press the **Enter** key, and follow the SANbox Manager installation instructions.

4.2.5.3

SANbox Manager Installation for Solaris

To install the SANbox Manager application on Solaris from the SANSurfer Tool Kit CD-ROM, do the following:

1. Close all programs currently running, and insert the SANSurfer Tool Kit CD into the management workstation CD-ROM drive. If the start page does not open in your default browser, do the following:
 - a. Right-click the to open the Workspace Menu.
 - b. Point to and select **Files**, then select **File Manager**.
 - c. In File Manager, double-click the CD-ROM icon, and then double-click the Sansurfer folder.
 - d. In the Sansurfer folder, double-click the **Start_Here.htm** file to open the start page in your default browser.
2. On the start page, choose the **SANbox Switch Software** button.
3. On the SANbox Switch Software page, scroll to the SANbox2-8c (2Gb) Series area.
4. In the Solaris column, choose the **SANbox Manager** link to open the Save As window.
5. Enter a path name to save the **sansurfer_solaris_install.bin** file and choose the **Save** button.
6. Open a terminal window for the directory in which the **sansurfer_solaris_install.bin** file was saved, and enter the following command:

```
chmod +x sansurfer_solaris_install.bin
```

7. Press the **Enter** key.
8. Enter the following command and follow the SANbox Manager installation instructions:

```
./sansurfer_solaris_install.bin
```

Note: If you download SANbox Manager from a server, be sure the downloaded file has execute permission before installing.

4.2.6

Configure the Switch

Do the following to configure a switch using the SANbox Manager application. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for more information about configuring a switch. You can also configure the switch using the CLI. Refer to [Appendix B Command Line Interface](#) for more information.

1. Connect to the switch using an Ethernet connection and run SANbox Manager.
2. Open the Fabric menu and select **Add Fabric** to open the Add a New Fabric window.
3. Enter a fabric name and the IP address of the switch through which to manage the fabric. The default IP address is 10.0.0.1. If this is a new switch, leave the login name and password fields empty, and choose the **Add Fabric** button. By default, fabric security is disabled, and therefore account names and passwords are not enforced. Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#) for information about setting fabric security.
4. Open the Switch menu and select **Switch Properties**. In the Switch Properties window, enter a chassis name. Accept the default domain ID, and choose the **OK** button.
5. Open the Switch menu and select **Network Properties**. In the Network Properties window, enter values for the IP address, subnet mask, and gateway address. Accept the default boot method. If you know the SNMP configuration settings, enter those as well. Choose the **OK** button.
6. Set the date and time. Double click on the switch in the topology display. In the faceplate display, open the Switch menu and select **Set Date/Time**. Enter the date and time in the Switch Date and Time window and choose the **OK** button. Reset the switch when prompted to implement the new date and time.

Repeat this process for each switch in the fabric, then connect the switches.

4.2.7

Configure the Ports

Configuring a port involves defining the port mode and setting the frame sequencing if necessary. For public devices and other switches, a switch automatically sets the port mode as each port discovers the type of device to which it is connected.

A GL_Port will self configure as an FL_Port when connected to a loop of public devices or an F_Port when connected to a single device. A G_Port will self configure as an F_Port when connected to a single public device. Both GL_Ports and G_Ports self configure as E_Ports when connected to another switch. The default port mode is GL_Port. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for more information about configuring ports. You can also configure ports using the CLI. Refer to [Appendix B Command Line Interface](#) for more information.

4.2.8

Cable Devices to the Switch

Connect cables to the SFP transceivers and their corresponding devices, and then energize the devices. Device host bus adapters can have SFP (or SFF) transceivers or GigaBit Interface Converters (GBIC). LC-type duplex fiber optic cable connectors are designed for SFP transceivers, while SC-type connectors are designed for GBICs. Duplex cable connectors are keyed to ensure proper orientation. Choose the fiber optic cable with the connector combination that matches the device host bus adapter.

4.3

Installing Firmware

The switch comes with current firmware installed. You can upgrade the firmware from the management workstation as new firmware becomes available. Firmware installation involves loading the firmware image file onto the switch, unpacking the image file, and then resetting the switch to activate the new firmware. New firmware can be loaded on the switch while the switch is operating without disrupting service. However, you must reset the switch to activate the new firmware, which does disrupt service.

You can use the SANbox Manager application or the CLI to install new firmware:

- The SANbox Manager application loads and unpacks the firmware image file in one operation. Refer to ["Using SANbox Manager to Install Firmware" on page 4-15](#).
- When using the CLI on a workstation that has an FTP server, you can open a Telnet session and load and unpack the firmware image file using the CLI Image command. Refer to ["Using the CLI to Install Firmware" on page 4-15](#).

- When using the CLI on a workstation without an FTP server, you must open an FTP session through the switch to load the image file, then open a Telnet session to unpack it with the CLI Image command. Refer to ["Using FTP and the CLI to Install Firmware" on page 4-16](#).

4.3.1

Using SANbox Manager to Install Firmware

To install firmware using SANbox Manager, do the following:

1. From the Faceplate display, open the Switch menu and select **Load Firmware**.
2. In the Firmware Upload window, browse and select the firmware file you want to load.
3. In the Firmware Upload window, choose the **Start** button to begin the loading process. When the firmware is finished loading, the Bytes Transferred field displays the number of bytes transferred during the loading process.
4. Choose the **Close** button to close the Firmware Upload window.
5. Open the Switch menu and select **Reset Switch** to activate the new firmware.

4.3.2

Using the CLI to Install Firmware

To install firmware using the CLI when an FTP server is present on the management workstation, do the following:

1. Connect to the switch through the Ethernet or the serial port and open a Telnet session.
2. Enter the following account name and password:


```
SANbox2 Login:admin
Password: password
```
3. To start an admin session, enter the following:


```
cli $> admin start
```
4. Retrieve the firmware file. The device on which the firmware file is stored must be running an FTP server. Enter the following command to retrieve the firmware file from the specified IP address:

```
cli (admin) #> image fetch username 10.0.0.254
firmwarefilenameetoload firmwarefilenameonswitch
Connected to 10.0.0.254.
```

Note: If prompted for your password, enter your password (for that IP Address) and press the Enter key.

```
331 Password required for username.  
Password:  
230 User username logged in.  
bin  
200 Type set to I.  
verbose  
Verbose mode off.
```

5. Enter the following command to display the list of firmware files:

```
cli (admin) #> image listfirmwarefilenameonswitch
```

6. Enter the following command to install the new firmware:

```
cli (admin) #>image unpack firmwarefilenameonswitch
```

7. Reset the switch to activate the new firmware.

```
cli (admin) $>reset
```

4.3.3

Using FTP and the CLI to Install Firmware

To install firmware using the CLI when the management workstation does not have an FTP server, do the following:

1. Connect to the switch through the Ethernet or the serial port.
2. Move to the folder or directory that contains the new firmware image file.
3. Establish communications with the switch using the File Transfer Protocol (FTP). Enter one of the following on the command line:

```
>ftp xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx
```

or

```
>ftp switchname
```

where xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx is the switch IP address, and *switchname* is the switch name associated with the IP address.

4. Enter the following account name and password:

```
user:images  
password: images
```

5. Activate binary mode and copy the firmware image file on the switch:

```
ftp>bin  
ftp>put filename
```

6. Close the FTP session.

```
ftp>quit
```

7. Establish communications with the switch using the CLI. Enter one of the following on the command line:

```
telnet xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx
```

or

```
telnet switchname
```

where *xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx* is the switch IP address, and *switchname* is the switch name associated with the IP address.

8. A Telnet window opens prompting you for a login. Enter an account name and password. The default account name and password are (admin, password).

9. Open an Admin session to acquire the necessary authority.

```
cli $>admin start
```

10. Display the list of firmware image files on the switch to confirm that the file was loaded. Refer to the ["Image Command" on page B-13](#) for more information.

```
cli (admin) $>image list
```

11. Unpack the firmware image file to install the new firmware in flash memory.

```
cli (admin) $>image unpack filename
```

12. Reset the switch to activate the new firmware. This will close the Telnet session by default.

```
cli (admin) $>reset
```

4.4

Powering Down a Switch

Simply unplugging the switch from the power source does not allow the switch to complete executing tasks and could lead to flash memory corruption. For this reason, open a Telnet session and use the Shutdown command to initiate an orderly shut down, then power down the switch. Refer to the ["Shutdown Command" on page B-60](#).

Notes

Section 5

Diagnostics/Troubleshooting

Diagnostic information about the switch is available through the chassis LEDs and the port LEDs. Diagnostic information is also available through the SANbox Manager and CLI event logs and error displays. This section describes two types of diagnostics: Power On Self Test (POST) and chassis. POST diagnostics describe the Heartbeat LED and the port Logged-In LED indications. Chassis diagnostics cover power supply and fan diagnostics as well as over temperature conditions. This section also describes how to use force PROM mode to recover a disabled switch.

5.1

POST Diagnostics

The switch performs a series of Power On Self Tests (POST) as part of its power-up procedure. The POST diagnostic program performs the following tests:

- Checksum tests on the boot firmware in PROM and the switch firmware in flash memory
- Internal data loopback test on all ports
- Access and integrity test on the ASIC

During the POST, the switch logs any errors encountered. Some POST errors are fatal, others are non-fatal. The switch uses the Heartbeat LED and the Logged-In LED to indicate switch and port status. A fatal error disables the switch so that it will not operate. A non-fatal error allows the switch to operate, but disables the ports that have errors. Whether the problem is fatal or non-fatal, contact your authorized maintenance provider.

If there are no errors, the Heartbeat LED blinks at a steady rate of once per second. If a fatal error occurs, the Heartbeat LED will show an error blink pattern. If there are non-fatal errors, the switch disables the failed ports and flashes the associated Logged-In LEDs. Refer to ["Heartbeat LED Blink Patterns" on page 5-1](#) for more information about Heartbeat LED blink patterns.

5.1.1

Heartbeat LED Blink Patterns

5.1.1.1

Normal (all pass)

If all POST diagnostics pass, the switch will go to normal operation and the Heartbeat LED will blink at a steady rate of one (1) blink per second.

5.1.1.2

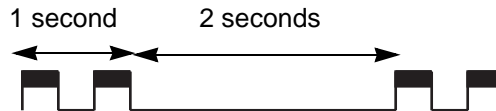
Force PROM Mode Pattern

Steady illumination indicates that the switch is in force PROM mode, which returns the switch IP address to 10.0.0.1. From force PROM mode, you may reload firmware, reset the password to the factory default, and remove a corrupt configuration.

5.1.1.3

Internal Firmware Failure Blink Pattern

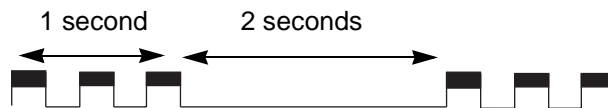
An internal firmware failure blink pattern is 2 blinks per second followed by a two second pause. The 2-blink error pattern indicates that the firmware has failed, and that the switch must be reset.



5.1.1.4

Fatal Error Blink Pattern

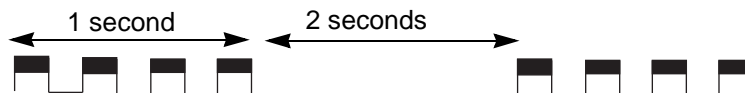
A fatal error blink pattern is 3 blinks per second followed by a two second pause. The 3-blink error pattern indicates that a fatal error has left the switch inoperable. If a fatal error occurs, contact your authorized maintenance provider.



5.1.1.5

Configuration File System Error Blink Pattern

A configuration file system error blink pattern is 4 blinks per second followed by a two second pause. The 4-blink error pattern indicates that a configuration file system error has occurred, and that the configuration file must be recreated.



To recreate the configuration file, do the following:

1. Place the switch in force PROM mode by pressing and holding the Reset/Force PROM button. Refer to ["Recovering a Switch" on page 5-9](#) for more information about placing the switch in force PROM mode.

2. Establish a Telnet session with the switch using the default IP address 10.0.0.1.


```
telnet 10.0.0.1
```
3. Enter the account name (prom) and password (prom), and press the Enter key.


```
Sanbox2 login: prom
Password:xxxx
[username@host:Itasca]% telnet 10.0.0.1
Trying 10.0.0.1...
Connected to 10.0.0.1.
Escape character is '^]'.
```
4. The following menu is displayed. Enter "6" (Remake Filesystem) and press the Enter key to recreate the configuration file.


```
0) Exit
1) Image Unpack
2) Reset Network Config
3) Reset Password File
4) Copy Log Files
5) Remove Switch Config
6) Remake Filesystem
7) Reset Switch
Option: 6
```
5. When the recreate process is complete, select option 7 to reset the switch and exit force PROM mode.
6. If a previously saved configuration file is available for the switch, do the following to restore the configuration file.
 - a. Establish communications with the switch using the File Transfer Protocol (FTP). Enter one of the following on the command line:


```
>ftp xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx
```

or

```
>ftp switchname
```

where xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx is the switch IP address and *switchname* is the switch name associated with the IP address.
 - b. Enter the following account name and password:


```
user:images
password:images
```

-
- c. Activate binary mode and copy the configuration file from the workstation to the switch. The configuration file must be named "configdata".

```
ftp>bin  
ftp>put configdata
```
 - d. Close the FTP session.

```
ftp>quit
```
 - e. Establish communications with the switch using Telnet. Enter one of the following on the command line:

```
telnet xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx
```

or

```
telnet switchname
```

where *xxx.xxx.xxx.xxx* is the switch IP address and *switchname* is the switch name associated with the IP address.
 - f. A Telnet window opens prompting you for a login. Enter an account name and password. The default account name and password are (admin, password).
 - g. Open an admin session to acquire the necessary authority.

```
cli $>admin start
```
 - h. Restore the configuration file.

```
cli (admin) $>config restore
```
 - i. Reset the switch and close the Telnet session.

```
cli (admin) $>reset
```

5.1.2

Logged-In LED Indications

Port diagnostics are indicated by the Logged-In LED for each port as shown in [Figure 5-1](#).

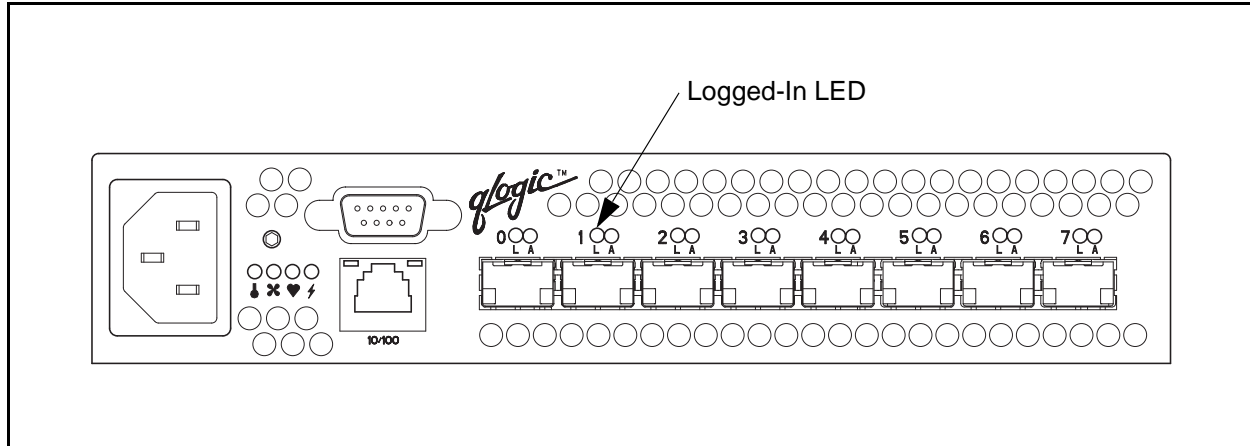


Figure 5-1. Port Logged-In LED

The Logged-In LED has three indications:

- Logged in - Continuous illumination.
- Logging in - Flashes at roughly once per second as shown in [Figure 5-2](#).
- Error - Flashes at roughly twice per second as shown in [Figure 5-2](#).

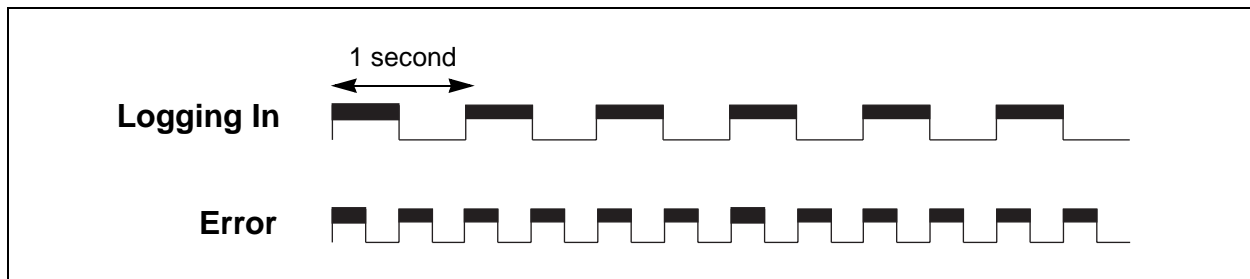


Figure 5-2. Logged-In LED Indications

A Logged-In LED error indication is often the result of E_Port isolation. An isolated E_Port is indicated by a red link in the topology display. [Table 5-1](#) describes the causes and remedies for E_Port isolation conditions. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for information about how to change domain IDs, timeout values, and edit zoning.

Table 5-1. E_Port Isolation Causes and Remedies

| Isolation Cause | Remedy |
|--|---|
| Two switches in the same fabric have the same domain ID | Correct the domain IDs on the offending switches. Domain IDs must be unique. |
| All switches in the fabric do not have the same timeout values | Correct the timeout values on the offending switches. |
| When merging two fabrics, the active zone sets contain zones with the same names but different membership. | Deactivate one of the active zone sets or edit the conflicting zones so that their membership is the same. The conflicting zones have the same name, but different membership. Finally, take the affected ports offline then back online to restore the inter-switch links. |

If a Logged-In LED is flashing, do the following:

- Inspect the cable connecting the port to another switch or to a device. Is the cable connected and in good operating condition?
 - Yes - Continue.
 - No - Make necessary corrections or replace the cable.
- Inspect the switch or device to which the port is connected. Is the switch or device operating properly?
 - Yes - Continue.
 - No - Make necessary corrections. If the problem remains, continue.
- Replace the SFP. Does this correct the problem?
 - Yes - Diagnosis complete.
 - No - Continue.
- Inspect the switches in the fabric for domain ID, timeout value, or conflicting zone name problems. Do any of these conditions exist?
 - Yes - Reconfigure the switches as needed to eliminate the problem. Refer to the *SANbox2-8c/16 Switch Management User's Guide* for information about how to change domain IDs, timeout values, and zoning.
 - No - Contact your authorized maintenance provider.

5.2

Chassis Diagnostics

Chassis diagnostics are indicated by the chassis LEDs as shown in [Figure 5-3](#).

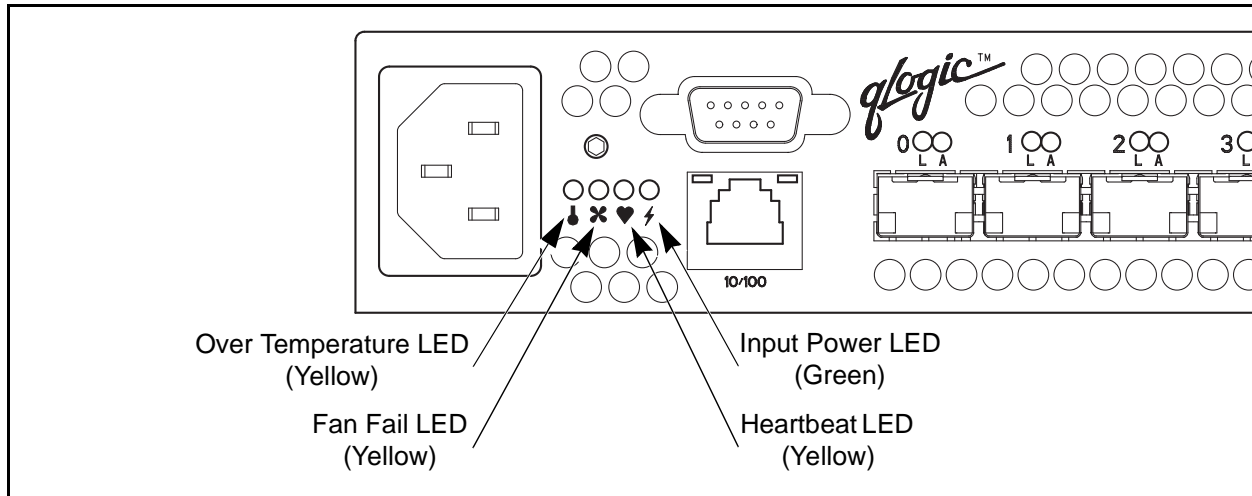


Figure 5-3. Chassis LEDs

The following conditions are described:

- Over Temperature LED is illuminated
- Input Power LED is extinguished
- Fan Fail LED is illuminated

5.2.1

Over Temperature LED is Illuminated

The Over Temperature LED illuminates to indicate that the switch logic circuitry is overheating. If the Over Temperature LED illuminates, do the following:

1. Inspect the chassis fan. Is the intake opening clear? Is the fan operating and producing air flow?
 - Yes - Continue.
 - No - Remove any debris from fan intake and exhaust if necessary. If the condition remains, continue.
2. Consider the ambient air temperature near the switch and clearance around the switch. Make necessary corrections. If the condition remains, contact your authorized maintenance provider.

5.2.2

Input Power LED Is Extinguished

The Input Power LED illuminates to indicate that the switch logic circuitry is receiving proper voltages. If the Input Power LED is extinguished, do the following:

1. Inspect the power cords and connectors. Is the cord unplugged? Is the cord or connector damaged?
 - Yes - Make necessary corrections or repairs. If the condition remains, continue.
 - No - Continue.
2. Inspect the AC power source. Is the power source delivering the proper voltage?
 - Yes - Continue
 - No - Make necessary repairs. If the condition remains, contact your authorized maintenance provider.

5.2.3

Fan Fail LED is Illuminated

The Fan Fail LED illuminates to indicate a malfunction with the chassis fan. If the Fan Fail LED illuminates, isolate the switch from the fabric, unplug the switch from the AC power source, and contact your authorized maintenance provider.

5.3

Recovering a Switch

A switch can become inoperable or unavailable for the following reasons:

- Firmware becomes corrupt
- IP address is lost
- Switch configuration becomes corrupt
- Forgotten password

In these specific cases, you can recover the switch using force PROM mode. Force PROM mode temporarily returns the switch IP address to 10.0.0.1 and provides opportunities to do the following:

- Unpack a firmware image file
- Restore the network configuration parameters to the default values
- Remove all user accounts and restore the Admin account name password to the default.
- Copy the log file
- Restore factory defaults for all but user accounts and zoning
- Restore all switch configuration parameters to the factory default values
- Reset the switch

To recover a switch, do the following:

1. Place the switch in force PROM mode. Do the following:
 - a. Power down the switch.
 - b. Press and hold the Reset/Force PROM button with a pointed tool, then power up the switch. All chassis LEDs will illuminate, then extinguish leaving only the Input Power LED illuminated. Release the button.
2. Allow one minute for the switch to complete its tests. When the switch is in force PROM mode, the Input LED will be illuminated and the Heartbeat LED will illuminate continuously. All other chassis LEDs will be extinguished.
3. Establish a Telnet session with the switch using the force PROM mode IP address 10.0.0.1.
4. Enter the force PROM mode account name and password (prom, prom), and press the Enter key.

```
Sanbox login: prom
Password:xxxx
[username@anteater:Itasca]% telnet 10.0.0.1
Trying 10.0.0.1...
Connected to 10.0.0.1.
Escape character is '^'.
```

5. The force PROM menu displays several recovery options. To select a switch recovery option, press the corresponding number (displayed in option: field) on the keyboard and press the Enter key.

```
0) Exit
1) Image Unpack
2) Reset Network Config
3) Reset Password File
4) Copy Log Files
5) Remove Switch Config
6) Remake Filesystem
7) Reset Switch
Option:
```

These options and their use are described in the following sections.

5.3.1

Force PROM – Exit

This option closes the current login session. To log in again, enter the force PROM mode account name and password (prom, prom).

5.3.2

Force PROM – Image Unpack

This option unpacks and installs new firmware when the current firmware has become corrupt. Before using this option, you must load the new firmware image file onto the switch. The steps to install new firmware using this option are as follows:

1. Place the switch in force PROM mode. Refer to the procedure for force PROM mode in ["Recovering a Switch" on page 5-9](#).
2. Use FTP to load a new firmware image file onto the switch. Refer to ["Using FTP and the CLI to Install Firmware" on page 4-16](#). Do not unpack the firmware image file with the Image command.
3. Select option 1 from the force PROM menu. When prompted for a file name prompt, enter the firmware image file name.

```
Image filename: filename
Unpacking 'filename', please wait...
Unpackage successful.
```

4. Select option 7 to reset the switch and exit force PROM mode.

5.3.3

Force PROM – Reset Network Config

This option resets the network properties to the factory default values and saves them on the switch. Refer to [Table B-6](#) for the default network configuration values.

5.3.4

Force PROM – Reset Password File

This option restores the password for the Admin account name to the default (password) and removes all other user accounts from the switch.

5.3.5

Force PROM – Copy Log Files

This option copies all log file buffers to a file.

5.3.6

Force PROM – Remove Switch Config

This option deletes all configurations from the switch except for the default configuration. This restores switch configuration parameters to the factory defaults except for user accounts and zoning. Refer to [Table B-2](#) though [Table B-6](#) for the factory default values.

5.3.7

Force PROM – Remake Filesystem

In the event of sudden loss of power, it is possible that the switch configuration may become corrupt. The file system on which the configuration is stored must be re-created. This option resets the switch to the factory default values including user accounts and zoning. Refer to [Table B-2](#) though [Table B-6](#) for the factory default values.

CAUTION!

If you choose the **Remake Filesystem** option, you will lose all changes made to the fabric configuration that involve that switch, such as password and zoning changes. You must then reconfigure the portions of the fabric that involve the switch.

5.3.8

Force PROM – Reset Switch

This option closes the Telnet session, exits force PROM mode and reboots the switch using the current switch configuration. All unpacked firmware image files that reside on the switch are deleted.

Notes

Appendix A Specifications

Appendix A contains the specifications for the SANbox2-8c Fibre Channel switch. Refer to [Section 2 General Description](#) for the location of all connections, switches, controls, and components.

A.1

Switch Specifications

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| Fibre Channel Protocols | FC-PH Rev. 4.3 FC-PH-2 FC-PH-3 FC-AL Rev 4.5 FC-AL-2 Rev 7.0 FC-FLA FC-GS-2 FC-FG FC-PLDA FC-Tape FC-VI FC-SW-2 Fabric Element MIB RFC 2837 Fibre Alliance MIB Version 3.0 |
| Fibre Channel Classes of Service .. | Classes 2 and 3 connectionless |
| Fabric Port Modes | F_Port FL_Port TL_Port E_Port G_Port GL_Port |
| Port Characteristics | All ports are auto-discovering and self-configuring. |
| Number of Fibre Channel Ports | 8 ports per chassis |
| Scalability..... | Maximum 239 switches depending on configuration |
| Maximum User Ports | >225,000 ports depending on configuration |
| Buffer Credits..... | 12 buffer credits per port |

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Media Type | Small Form Pluggable (SFP), 3.3 volt, optical transceivers. Hot swappable. |
| Fabric Port Speed | 1.0625 or 2.125 Gigabits/second |
| Maximum Frame Size | 2148 bytes (2112 byte payload) |
| System Processor | 266 MHz Pentium® processor |
| Fabric Latency (best case) | <0.5 µsec. |
| Fabric Point-to-Point Bandwidth | 212 or 424 MB/s full duplex |
| Fabric Aggregate Bandwidth | 32 Gb/s for a single switch |

A.2 Switch Maintainability

| | |
|----------------------|--|
| Diagnostics | Power On Self Test (POST) tests all functional components except SFP transceivers. Port tests include online, internal, and external tests |
| User Interface | LED indicators |

A.3 Fabric Management

| | |
|------------------------------|---|
| Management Methods | SANbox Manager application Command Line Interface GS-3 Management Server SNMP FTP |
| Maintenance Connection | RS-232 connector; null modem F/F DB9 cable |
| Ethernet Connection | RJ-45 connector; 10/100 BASE T cable |
| Switch Agent | Allows a network management station to obtain configuration values, traffic information, and failure data pertaining to the Fibre Channels using SNMP through the Ethernet interface. |

A.4

Switch Dimensions

| | |
|--------------|----------|
| Width..... | 8.5" |
| Height | 1.70" |
| Depth | 20.0" |
| Weight..... | 8.5 lbs. |

A.5

Switch Electrical

| | |
|----------------------------|--|
| Operating voltage | 90 to 137 Vac; 47 to 63 Hz 180 to 264 Vac; 47 to 63 Hz |
| Power source loading | 1.0 Amps maximum at 90 to 137 Vac 0.45 Amps maximum at 180 to 264 Vac |
| Heat Output (maximum) | 70 watts |
| Circuit Protection | Internally fused |

A.6

Switch Environmental

| | |
|-----------------------|--|
| Temperature | |
| ■ Operating | 5 to 50°C (41 to 122°F) |
| ■ Non-operating | -40 to 65°C (-40 to 149°F) |
| Humidity | |
| ■ Operating | 15% to 80%, non-condensing |
| ■ Non-operating | 25% to 90%, non-condensing |
| Altitude | |
| ■ Operating | 0 to 3048m (0 to 10,000 feet) |
| ■ Non-operating | 0 to 15,240m (0 to 50,000 feet) |
| Vibration | |
| ■ Operating | IEC 68-2 5-500 Hz, random, 0.21 G rms, 10 minutes |
| ■ Non-operating | 5-500 Hz, random, 2.09 G rms, 10 minutes |
| Shock | |
| ■ Operating | IEC 68-2 4 g, 11ms, 20 repetitions |
| ■ Non-operating | 30g, 292 ips, 3 repetitions, 3 axis |
| Air flow | Front-to-back or back-to-front, by model |

A.7

Switch Regulatory Certifications

| | |
|----------------------------|---|
| Safety Standards | UL60950, CSA 22.2 No. 60950, EN60950 |
| Emissions Standards | FCC Part 15B Class A VCCI Class A ITE BSMI Class A ICES-03 Issue 3 CISPR 22, Class A EN 55022, Class A |
| Voltage Fluctuations | EN 61000-3-3 |
| Harmonics..... | EN 61000-3-2 |
| Immunity | EN 55024:1998 |
| Marking | FCC Part 15, UL (United States), cUL (Canada), TUV, BSMI, VCCI, CE |

A.8

Shortwave Laser SFP 1G/2G (multi-mode)

| | |
|----------------------------|---|
| Connector | Duplex LC |
| Color coding..... | Beige or black exposed connector surfaces |
| Cable | Fibre Channel 100-M6-SN-I (50 µm multimode) Fibre Channel 200-M5-SN-I or 200-M6-SN-I (62.5 µm multimode) |
| Wavelength..... | 830 - 860 nm |
| Transmit Power..... | -10 dBm minimum |
| Receiver Sensitivity | -16 dBm average |
| Distance..... | 500 meters maximum, 50 micron fiber 300 meters maximum, 62.5 micron fiber |
| Safety..... | DHHS 21 CFR(J), IEC 825-1 CENELEC EN 60825-1, VDE |
| Standard | Small Form-Factor Pluggable Multisource Agreement |

A.9

Longwave Laser SFP 1G/2G (single-mode)

| | |
|----------------------------|--|
| Connector | Duplex LC |
| Color coding..... | Blue exposed connector surfaces |
| Cable | Fibre Channel 100SM-LC-L (9 µm single mode) |
| Wavelength..... | 1270 - 13.5 nm |
| Transmit Power..... | -10 dBm minimum |
| Receiver Sensitivity | -20 dBm average |
| Distance | 2 meters to 10 kilometers |
| Safety..... | DHHS 21 CFR(J), IEC 825-1 CENELEC EN 60825-1, VDE |
| Standard | Small Form-Factor Pluggable Multisource Agreement |

Notes

Appendix B

Command Line Interface

Each switch contains a Telnet server. This server allows a Telnet client to establish a Telnet session with the switch to retrieve information or to configure parameters using the Command Line Interface (CLI). The CLI enables you to perform a variety of fabric and switch management tasks through an Ethernet or a serial port connection.

B.1

Logging On to a Switch

To log on to a switch using Telnet, open a command line window on the management workstation and enter the Telnet command followed by the switch IP address:

```
/> telnet 123.45.67.890
```

A Telnet window opens prompting you for a login. Enter an account name and password. Switches come from the factory with the following user account already defined:

Account name: admin
Password: password
Authority: Admin

This user account provides full access to the switch and its configuration. After planning your fabric management needs and creating your own user accounts, consider changing the password for this account. Refer to ["Commands" on page B-3](#) for more information about authority levels. Refer to the ["User Command" on page B-65](#) for information about creating user accounts.

Note: A switch supports a combined maximum of 15 logins. This includes SANbox Manager inband and out-of-band logins, Telnet out-of-band logins, and SNMP out-of-band logins. Of this 15, there can be a maximum of 10 SANbox Manager logins. Additional logins will be refused.

B.2

Command Syntax

The command syntax is as follows:

command

keyword

keyword *[value]*

keyword [value1] [value2]

The **Command** is followed by one or more keywords. Consider the following rules and conventions:

- Commands and keywords are lowercase and case sensitive.
- Commands with keywords require one of those keywords.
- Required keyword values appear in standard font: [value]. Optional values are shown in italics: *[value]*.
- Underlined portions of the keyword in the command format indicate the abbreviated form that can be used. For example the Delete keyword can be abbreviated Del.

B.3 Commands

The command set provides for User and Admin authority levels.

- User authority grants viewing access to the fabric and switches using the Show command and other read-only commands.
- Admin authority includes the User authority and grants permission to use the Admin command. The Admin Start command opens an admin session which provides access to the commands that change switch and fabric configurations. Refer to the ["Admin Command" on page B-4](#).

Note: Admin authority is enforced only if fabric security is enabled. By default, fabric security is disabled. Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#) (System keyword) for more about setting fabric security.

The commands and their page numbers are listed by authority level in [Table B-1](#).

Table B-1. Commands Listed by Authority Level

| User Authority Commands | Admin Authority Command |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Help (B-11) | Admin (B-4) |
| History (B-12) | Admin Session Commands |
| Ps (B-16) | |
| Quit (B-17) | Alias ¹ (B-5) |
| Show (B-41) | Config ¹ (B-7) |
| Show Config (B-51) | Date ¹ (B-9) |
| Show Log (B-54) | Fallback (B-10) |
| Show Perf (B-56) | Image (B-13) |
| Show Setup (B-58) | Lip (B-14) |
| Uptime (B-64) | Passwd (B-15) |
| Whoami (B-67) | Reset (B-18) |
| | Set (B-23) |
| | Set Config (B-25) |
| | Set Log (B-33) |
| | Set Port (B-36) |
| | Set Setup (B-37) |
| | Shutdown (B-60) |
| | Test (B-61) |
| | User ¹ (B-65) |
| | Zone ¹ (B-68) |
| | Zoneset ¹ (B-72) |
| | Zoning ¹ (B-75) |

¹Some keywords are available with User authority.

Admin Command

Opens and closes an Admin session. The Admin session provides commands that change the fabric and switch configurations. Only one Admin session can be open on the switch at any time. An inactive Admin session will time out after a period of time which can be changed using the Set Setup System command. Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#).

Authority Admin

Syntax **admin**
start
end
cancel

Keywords **start**
Opens the admin session.

end
Closes the admin session. The Logout, Shutdown, and Reset Switch commands will also end an admin session.

cancel
Terminates an Admin session opened by another user. Use this keyword with care because it terminates the Admin session without warning the other user and without saving pending changes.

Notes Closing a Telnet window during an admin session does not release the session. In this case, you must either wait for the admin session to time out, or use the Admin Cancel command.

Examples The following example shows how to open and close an Admin session:

```
SANbox2 #> admin start

SANbox2 (admin) #>

.
.
.

SANbox2 (admin) #> admin end
SANbox2 #>
```

Alias Command

Creates a named set of ports. Aliases make it easier to assign a set of ports to many zones. An alias can not have a zone or another alias as a member.

Authority Admin

Syntax **alias**
 add [alias] [members]
 copy [alias_source] [alias_destination]
 create [alias]
 delete [alias]
 list
 members [alias]
 remove [alias] [members]
 rename [alias_old] [alias_new]

Keywords **add [alias] [members]**
Specifies one or more ports given by [members] to add to the alias named [alias]. An alias can have a maximum of 2000 members. [members] can have one of the following formats:

- Domain ID and port number pair (Domain ID, Port Number). Domain IDs and port numbers are in decimal. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.
- 6-character hexadecimal device Fibre Channel address (hex)
- 16-character hexadecimal worldwide port name (WWPN) with the format xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx.

The application verifies that the [alias] format is correct, but does not validate that such a port exists.

copy [alias_source] [alias_destination]

Creates a new alias named [alias_destination] and copies the membership into it from the alias given by [alias_source].

create [alias]

Creates an alias with the name given by [alias]. An alias name must begin with a letter and be no longer than 64 characters. Valid characters are 0-9, A-Z, a-z, &, _, and -. The zoning database supports a maximum of 256 aliases.

delete [alias]

Deletes the specified alias given by [alias] from the zoning database. If the alias is a member of the active zone set, the alias will not be removed from the active zone set until the active zone set is deactivated.

list

Displays a list of all aliases. This keyword is valid for User authority and does not require a zoning edit session or an admin session.

members [alias]

Displays all members of the alias given by [alias]. This keyword is available with User authority and does not require a zoning edit session or an admin session.

remove [alias] [members]

Removes the ports given by [members] from the alias given by [alias]. [members] can have one of the following formats:

- Domain ID and port number pair (Domain ID, Port Number). Domain IDs and port numbers are in decimal. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.
- 6-character hexadecimal device Fibre Channel address (hex)
- 16-character hexadecimal worldwide port name (WWPN) for the device with the format xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx.

rename [alias_old] [alias_new]

Renames the alias given by [alias_old] to the alias given by [alias_new].

Config Command

Manages the Fibre Channel configurations on a switch. For information about setting the port and switch configurations, refer to the ["Set Config Command" on page B-25](#).

Authority Admin for all keywords except List

Syntax **config**
 `activate [config]`
 `backup`
 `cancel`
 `copy [config_source] [config_destination]`
 `delete [config]`
 `edit [config]`
 `list`
 `restore`
 `save [config]`

Keywords **`activate [config]`**
Activates the configuration given by [config]. If you omit the configuration, the currently active configuration is used. Only one configuration can be active at a time.

backup
Creates a file named *configdata*, which contains the system configuration information. To download this file, open an FTP session, log in with account name/password of "images" for both, and type "get configdata".

cancel
Terminates the current configuration edit session without saving changes that were made.

`copy [config_source] [config_destination]`
Copies the configuration given by [config_source] to the configuration given by [config_destination]. The switch supports up to 10 configurations including the default configuration.

`delete [config]`
Deletes the specified configuration file where [config] is a file name.

`edit [config]`
Opens an edit session for the configuration given by [config]. If you omit the configuration name, the currently active configuration is used.

list
Displays a list of all available configurations. This keyword is available with User authority.

restore

Restores configuration settings to an out-of-band switch from a backup file named *configdata*, which must be first uploaded on the switch using FTP. You create the backup file using the Config Backup command. Use FTP to load the backup file on a switch, then enter the Config Restore command.

save [config]

Saves changes made during a configuration edit session in the configuration given by [config]. If you omit the configuration name value, the configuration you chose for the Config Edit command is used. The switch supports up to 10 configurations including the default configuration.

Notes

If you edit the active configuration, changes will be held in suspense until you reactivate the configuration or activate another configuration.

Examples

The following shows an example of how to open and close a Config Edit session:

```
SANbox2 $> admin start

SANbox2 (admin) #> config edit
.
.
.

SANbox2 (admin-config) #> config cancel

Configuration mode will be canceled.Please confirm (y/n): [n] y

SANbox2 (admin) #> admin end
```

Date Command

This command displays or sets the system date and time. To set the date and time the information string must be provided in this format: MMDDhhmmCCYY. You must reset the switch for the new date to take effect.

Authority Admin to change the date; User to display the date.

Syntax **date**
[MMDDhhmmCCYY]

Keywords **[MMDDhhmmCCYY]**
Specifies the date – this requires an admin session. If you omit [MMDDhhmmCCYY], the current date is displayed – this is available with User authority.

Examples The following is an example of the Date command:

```
SANbox2 $> date  
Tue Nov 12 07:51:24 2002
```

Fallback Command

Loads the fallback version of the firmware from switch memory. The switch stores two versions of the firmware. This command alternately activates the two versions.

Authority Admin

Syntax **fallback**

Notes

- The Show Switch command displays the available firmware versions and the currently active version.
- After executing the Fallback command, reset the switch for the firmware to be placed in effect.

Examples The following is an example of the Fallback command:

```
SANbox2 #> admin start
```

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> fallback
```

```
Reverting to previous software image. Please confirm (y/n): [n] y
```

```
SANbox2 $> admin end
```

Help Command

Displays a brief description of the specified command and its keywords.

Authority User

Syntax **help** [*command*] [*keyword*]

Keywords [*command*]

A command name. If you omit this value, the system displays all available commands from which to choose.

[*keyword*]

A keyword associated with the command named by [command]. If you omit this value, the system displays the available keywords for the specified command.

all

Displays a list of all available commands (including command variations).

Examples The following is an example of the Help Set command:

```
SANbox2 $> help set
```

```
set SET_OPTIONS
```

```
There are many attributes that can be set.
```

```
Type help with one of the following to get more information:
```

```
set alarm
```

```
    set beacon
```

```
    set blade
```

```
    set config blade
```

```
    set config port
```

```
    set config ports
```

```
    set config switch
```

```
    set config threshold
```

```
    set config zoning
```

```
    set log
```

```
    set pagebreak
```

```
    set port
```

```
    set setup snmp
```

```
    set setup system
```

```
    set switch
```

The following is an example of the Help Set Beacon command:

```
SANbox2 #> help set beacon
```

```
set beacon On | Off
```

```
This command allows the lights on the front of the switch to flash.
```

```
The On option will start and the Off option will stop the flashing.
```

History Command

Displays a numbered list of the previously entered commands from which you can re-execute selected commands.

Authority User

Syntax **history**

Notes Use the History command to provide context for the ! command:

- Enter ![command] to re-enter the most recent execution of that command.
- Enter ![line number] to re-execute the corresponding command from the History display
- Enter ![partial command string] to re-execute a command that matches the command string.
- Enter !! to re-execute the most recent command.

Examples The following is an example of the History command:

```
SANbox2 $> history
```

```
1 show switch
2 date
3 help set
4 history
```

```
SANbox2 $> !3
```

```
help set
```

```
set SET_OPTIONS
```

```
There are many attributes that can be set.
```

```
Type help with one of the following to get more information:
```

```
set alarm
```

```
set beacon
set blade
set config blade
set config port
set config ports
set config switch
set config threshold
set config zoning
set log
set pagebreak
set port
set setup snmp
set setup system
set switch
```

Image Command

Manages and installs switch firmware.

Authority Admin

Syntax **image**
cleanup
fetch [account_name] [ip_address] [file_source] [file_destination]
list
unpack [file]

Keywords **cleanup**

Removes all firmware image files from the switch. All firmware image files are removed automatically each time the switch is reset.

fetch [account_name] [ip_address] [file_source] [file_destination]

Retrieves image file given by [file_source] and stores it on the switch with the file name given by [file_destination]. The image file is retrieved from the device with the IP address given by [ip_address] and an account name given by [account_name]. If an account name needs a password to access the device, the system will prompt you for it.

list

Displays the list of image files that reside on the switch.

unpack [file]

Installs the firmware file given by [file]. After unpacking the file, a message appears confirming successful unpacking. The switch must be reset for the new firmware to take effect.

Lip Command

Reinitializes the specified loop port.

Authority Admin

Syntax lip [port_number]

Keywords [port_number]
The number of the port to be reinitialized.

Examples The following is an example of the Lip command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> lip 2
```

Passwd Command

Changes a user account's password.

Authority Admin to change another account's password; User to change your own.

Syntax **passwd [account_name]**

Keywords **[account_name]**

The user account name. You must open an admin session to change the password for an account name other than your own. If you omit [account_name], you will be prompted to change the password for the current account name.

Examples The following is an example of the Passwd command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> passwd user2
```

```
Press 'q' and the ENTER key to abort this command.
```

```
account OLD password :
```

```
account NEW password (4-20 chars) :
```

```
please confirm account NEW password:
```

```
password has been changed.
```

Ps Command

Displays current system process information.

Authority User

Syntax **ps**

Examples The following is an example of the Ps command:

```
SANbox2 #> ps
```

| PID | PPID | %CPU | TIME | ELAPSED | COMMAND |
|-----|------|------|----------|---------|---------|
| 298 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:00 | 59:42 | cns |
| 299 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:00 | 59:42 | ens |
| 300 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:00 | 59:42 | dlog |
| 301 | 292 | 0.3 | 00:00:53 | 59:42 | ds |
| 302 | 292 | 0.2 | 00:00:29 | 59:42 | mgmtApp |
| 303 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:02 | 59:42 | nserver |
| 304 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:00 | 59:42 | mserver |
| 305 | 292 | 0.1 | 00:00:15 | 59:42 | util |
| 306 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:04 | 59:42 | eport |
| 307 | 292 | 1.2 | 00:02:53 | 59:41 | PortApp |
| 308 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:01 | 59:41 | zoning |
| 309 | 292 | 0.0 | 00:00:00 | 59:41 | diagApp |

Quit Command

Closes the Telnet session.

Authority User

Syntax **quit, exit, or logout**

Reset Command

Resets the switch and port configuration parameters.

Authority Admin

Syntax **reset**
 config [config_name]
 factory
 port [port_number]
 snmp
 switch (default)
 system
 zoning

Keywords **config [config_name]**
Resets the configuration given by [config_name] to the factory default values for switch, port, alarm threshold, and zoning configuration. This keyword clears all zoning definitions. If [config_name] does not exist on the switch, a configuration with that name will be created. If you omit [config_name], the active configuration is reset. You must activate the configuration or reset the switch for the changes to take effect. Refer to [Table B-2](#) through [Table B-4](#) for switch, port, and alarm threshold configuration default values.

factory

Resets switch, alarm threshold, zoning, SNMP, zoning configuration, and system configuration settings to the factory default values. The switch configuration is activated automatically. Refer to [Table B-2](#) through [Table B-6](#).

port [port_number]

Reinitializes the port given by [port_number]. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.

snmp

Resets the SNMP configuration settings to the factory default values. Refer to [Table B-5](#) for SNMP configuration default values.

switch

Reinitializes the switch. This is the default. This command also closes the Telnet session.

system

Resets the system configuration settings to the factory default values. Refer to [Table B-6](#) for system configuration default values.

zoning

Clears the zoning database and deactivates the active zone set. The zoning configuration values (autosave, default visibility) remain unchanged.

Notes The following tables specify the various factory default settings:

Table B-2. Switch Configuration Defaults

| Parameter | Default |
|-----------------------------|-----------|
| Admin State | Online |
| Broadcast Enable | True |
| InbandEnable | True |
| Domain ID | 1 |
| Domain ID Lock | False |
| Symbolic Name | SANbox2 |
| R_T_TOV | 100 |
| R_A_TOV | 10000 |
| E_D_TOV | 2000 |
| FS_TOV | 5000 |
| DS_TOV | 5000 |
| Principal Priority | 254 |
| System Description | Undefined |
| Configuration Last Saved By | Initial |
| Configuration Last Saved On | Initial |

Table B-3. Port Configuration Defaults

| Parameter | Default |
|---------------|--------------|
| Admin State | Online |
| Link Speed | Auto |
| Port Type | GL |
| TL_Port Mode | TLTargetMode |
| ISL Security | Any |
| Symbolic Name | Port |
| ALFairness | False |
| ARB_FF | False |

Table B-3. Port Configuration Defaults (Continued)

| Parameter | Default |
|---------------|---------|
| InteropCredit | 0 |
| ExtCredit | 0 |
| FanEnable | True |
| LCFEnable | False |
| MFSEnable | True |
| MFS_TOV | 10 |
| MSEnable | True |
| NoClose | False |
| IOStreamGuard | False |
| VIEnable | False |
| CheckAlps | False |

Table B-4. Alarm Threshold Configuration Defaults

| Parameter | Default |
|-------------------------------|---------|
| ThresholdMonitoringEnabled | True |
| CRCErrorsMonitoringEnabled | True |
| RisingTrigger | 25 |
| FallingTrigger | 1 |
| SampleWindow | 10 |
| DecodeErrorsMonitoringEnabled | True |
| RisingTrigger | 200 |
| FallingTrigger | 0 |
| SampleWindow | 10 |
| ISLMonitoringEnabled | True |
| RisingTrigger | 2 |
| FallingTrigger | 0 |
| SampleWindow | 10 |
| LoginMonitoringEnabled | True |
| RisingTrigger | 5 |
| FallingTrigger | 1 |
| SampleWindow | 10 |

Table B-4. Alarm Threshold Configuration Defaults (Continued)

| Parameter | Default |
|-------------------------|---------|
| LogoutMonitoringEnabled | True |
| RisingTrigger | 5 |
| FallingTrigger | 1 |
| SampleWindow | 10 |
| LOSMonitoringEnabled | True |
| RisingTrigger | 100 |
| FallingTrigger | 5 |
| SampleWindow | 10 |

Table B-5. SNMP Configuration Defaults

| Parameter | Default |
|---------------------|--|
| Contact | Undefined |
| Location | Undefined |
| Description | Undefined |
| Trap [1-5] Address | Trap 1: 10.0.0.254; Traps 2–5: 0.0.0.0 |
| Trap [1-5] Port | Undefined |
| Trap [1-5] Severity | Warning |
| Trap [1-5] Enabled | False |
| ObjectID | 1663.1.1.1.1.111.3.6.1.4.1 |
| AuthFailureTrap | False |

Table B-6. System Configuration Defaults

| Parameter | Default |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Ethernet Network IP Address | 10.0.0.1 |
| Ethernet Network IP Mask | 255.0.0.0 |
| Ethernet Gateway Address | 10.0.0.254 |
| Ethernet Network Discovery | Static |
| Admin Timeout | 30 minutes |
| Security Enabled | False |
| LocalLog Enabled | True |
| Remotelog Enabled | False |
| Remote Log Host IP Address | Undefined |

Set Command

Sets a variety of switch, I/O blade, and port parameters.

Authority Admin for all keywords except Alarm Clear, Beacon, and Pagebreak which are available with User authority.

Syntax **set**
alarm clear
beacon [state]
blade [slot_number] [state]
config [option]
log [option]
pagebreak [state]
port [option]
setup [option]
switch [state]

Keywords **alarm clear**
Clears the alarm log. This keyword is available with User authority.

beacon [state]
Enables or disables the flashing of the Port Status LEDs according to [state]. This keyword is available with User authority. [state] can be one of the following:

on
Enables the flashing beacon.
off
Disables the flashing beacon.

config [option]
Sets port, switch, alarm threshold, and zoning configuration parameters. Refer to the ["Set Config Command" on page B-25](#).

log [option]
Specifies the type of entries to be entered in the event log. Refer to the ["Set Log Command" on page B-33](#).

pagebreak [state]
Specifies how much information is displayed on the screen at a time according to the value given by [state]. This keyword is available with User authority. [state] can be one of the following:

on
Limits the display of information to 20 lines at a time. The page break functions affects the following commands: Alias (List, Members), Show (Alarm, Log), Zone (List, Members), Zoneset (List, Zones), Zoning (Active, List).
off
Allows continuous display of information without a break.

port [option]

Sets port state and speed for the specified port temporarily until the next switch reset or new configuration activation. Refer to the ["Set Port Command" on page B-36](#).

setup [option]

Changes SNMP and system configuration settings. Refer to the ["Set Setup Command" on page B-37](#).

switch [state]

Temporarily changes the administrative state for all ports on the switch to the state given by [state]. The previous Set Config Switch settings are restored after a switch reset or a reactivation of a switch configuration. [state] can be one of the following:

online

Places all ports online

offline

Places all ports offline.

diagnostics

Prepares all ports for testing.

Off

Disables the flashing beacon.

Examples The following examples enables and disables the beacon:

```
SANbox2 $> set beacon on
```

```
Command succeeded.
```

```
SANbox2 $> set beacon off
```

```
Command succeeded.
```

Set Config Command

Sets switch, port, alarm threshold, and zoning configuration parameters.

Authority Admin authority and a Config Edit session

Syntax **set config**
 port *[port_number]*
 ports *[port_number]*
 switch
 threshold
 zoning

Keywords **port *[port_number]***
 Initiates an edit session in which to change configuration parameters for the port number given by *[port_number]*. If you omit *[port_number]*, the system begins with port 0 and proceeds in order through port 63. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets. Enter “q” to cancel the configuration for one port, or “qq” to cancel the configuration for all ports. [Table B-7](#) describes the port parameters.

ports *[port_number]*
 Initiates an editing session in which to change configuration parameters for all ports based on the configuration for the port given by *[port_number]*. If you omit *[port_number]*, port 0 is used. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets. Enter “q” to cancel the configuration. [Table B-7](#) describes the port parameters.

Table B-7. Set Config Port Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|------------|--|
| AdminState | Port administrative state: online, offline, diagnostics, or down. |
| LinkSpeed | 1Gb/sec or 2 Gb/sec |
| PortType | Type of port |
| TLPortMode | Initiates the configuration of ports attributes. Indicates whether using initiator or target devices on the loop. If you specify <i>[port_number]</i> , the display will present attributes for that port only; otherwise, all attributes for all ports will be available for configuration. |

Table B-7. Set Config Port Parameters (Continued)

| Parameter | Description |
|------------------|---|
| ISLSecurity | E_Port security. Determines which switches a port will establish a link with. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ Any - we will link with any switch. ■ Ours - we will only link to another QLogic switch. ■ None - the port will not establish an ISL link. |
| SymbolicPortName | Descriptive name |
| ALFairness | Default is switch that has priority |
| ARB_FF | Use ARB_FF instead of idles on loop FCAL option |
| InteropCredit | Number of buffer-to-buffer credits per port. 0 means the default (12) is unchanged. |
| ExtCredit | Extended credit port |
| FANEnable | Fabric Address Notification. If enabled, notifies logged-in NL_Ports of the FL_Port address, port name, and node name. |
| LCFEnable | Link control frame preference, R_CTL = 0xC |
| MFSEnable | Multi-Frame Sequence bundling |
| MFS_TOV | MFS limit for camp on |
| MSEnable | Management Server enable on this port |
| NoClose | Don't close unless another device arbitrates |
| I/O Stream Guard | Enables or disables the suppression of RSCN messages |
| VIEnable | Enable VI preference routing |
| CheckAlps | Close before sending frames to new target |

switch

Initiates an editing session in which to change switch configuration settings. The system displays each parameter one line at a time and prompts you for a value. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets.

Table B-8. Set Config Switch Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|-------------------|---|
| AdminState | Switch administrative state: online, offline, or diagnostics |
| Broadcast Enable | Enables (True) or disables (False) forwarding of broadcast frames. |
| InbandEnabled | Enables (True) or disables (False) the ability to manage the switch over an ISL. |
| DefaultDomainID | Default domain ID setting |
| DomainIDLock | Prevents (True) or allows (False) dynamic reassignment of the domain ID. |
| SymbolicName | Descriptive name |
| R_T_TOV | Receiver Transmitter Timeout Value. Specifies the number of milliseconds a port is to wait to receive a response from another port. The default is 100. |
| R_A_TOV | Resource Allocation Timeout Value. The number of milliseconds the switch waits to allow two ports to allocate enough resources to establish a link. The default is 10000. |
| E_D_TOV | Error Detect Timeout Value. The number of milliseconds a port is to wait for errors to clear. The default is 2000. |
| FS_TOV | Fabric Stability Timeout Value. The default is 5000 msec. |
| DS_TOV | Distributed Services Timeout Value (Management Server, Name Server). The default is 5000 msec. |
| PrincipalPriority | The priority used in the FC-SW-2 principal switch selection algorithm. 1 is high, 255 is low. |
| ConfigDescription | The name for the configuration. The default is undefined. |

threshold

Initiates a configuration session by which to generate and log alarms for selected events. The system displays each event, its thresholds, and sampling interval one line at a time and prompts you for a value. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets. These parameters must be saved in a configuration and activated before they will take effect. Refer to the ["Config Command" on page B-7](#) for information about saving and activating a configuration. [Table B-9](#) describes the Set Config Threshold parameters.

Table B-9. Set Config Threshold Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|--|---|
| Threshold Monitoring Enabled | Master enable/disable parameter for all events. Enables (True) or disables (False) the generation of all enabled event alarms. |
| CRCErrorsMonitoringEnabled DecodeErrorsMonitoringEnabled ISLMonitoringEnabled LoginMonitoringEnabled LogoutMonitoringEnabled LOSMonitoringEnabled | The event type enable/disable parameter. Enables (True) or disables (False) the generation of alarms for each of the following events: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ■ CRC errors ■ Decode errors ■ ISL connection count ■ Login errors ■ Logout errors ■ Loss-of-signal errors |
| Rising Trigger | The event count above which an event is logged. Once the count exceeds the rising threshold, one alarm is logged. The switch will not generate another alarm for that event until the count falls below the falling threshold and rises again above the rising threshold. |
| Falling Trigger | The event count above which an event becomes eligible for logging in the alarm log. |
| Sample Window | The period of time in seconds in which to count events. |

zoning

Initiates an editing session in which to change switch zoning attributes. The system displays each parameter one line at a time and prompts you for a value. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets.

Table B-10. Set Config Zoning Parameters

| Parameter | Description |
|-----------|---|
| AutoSave | Determines whether zoning changes will be saved to flash (non-volatile) memory or to RAM (volatile) in each switch. The default is On. |
| Default | Determines communication among ports/devices in the absence of an active zone set. "All" enables all ports/devices to communicate with one another. "None" prohibits communication among ports/devices. |

Examples The following is an example of the Set Config Port command:

```
SANbox2 $> admin start
SANbox2 (admin) #> config edit
SANbox2 (admin-config) #> set config port 1
```

A list of attributes with formatting and current values will follow.
Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the current value.
If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list
press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

Configuring Port Number: 1

```
AdminState      (1=Online, 2=Offline, 3=Diagnostics, 4=Down) [Online]
LinkSpeed       (1=1Gb/s, 2=2Gb/s, 3=Auto)                [Auto  ]
PortType        (TL / GL / G / F / FL / Donor)            [GL    ]
TLPortMode      (1=TLTargetMode, 2=TLInitiatorMode)      [TLInitiatorMode]
ISLSecurity     (Any / Ours / None)                       [Any   ]
SymPortName     (string, max=32 chars)                    [Port2 ]
ALFairness      (True / False)                            [False ]
ARB_FF          (True / False)                            [False ]
InteropCredit   (decimal value, 0-255)                   [0     ]
ExtCredit       (decimal value, 0-65535)                  [0     ]
```

| | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| FANEnable | (True / False) | [True] |
| LCFEnable | (True / False) | [False] |
| MFSEnable | (True / False) | [False] |
| MFS_TOV | (decimal value, 10-20480 msec) | [640] |
| MSEnable | (True / False) | [True] |
| NoClose | (True / False) | [False] |
| I/O Stream Guard - | | |
| | (Suppress RSCN)(Enable / Disable) | [Disable] |
| VIEnable | (True / False) | [False] |
| CheckAlps | (True / False) | [False] |

Finished configuring attributes.

This configuration must be saved (see config save command) and activated (see config activate command) before it can take effect.

To discard this configuration use the config cancel command.

The following is an example of the Set Config Switch command:

```
SANbox2 $> admin start
SANbox2 (admin) #> config edit
SANbox2 (admin-config) #> set config switch
```

A list of attributes with formatting and default values will follow.
Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the current value.
If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list
press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

| | | |
|-------------------|--------------------------------------|------------|
| AdminState | (1=Online, 2=Offline, 3=Diagnostics) | [Online] |
| InbandEnabled | (True / False) | [False] |
| BroadcastEnable | (True / False) | [False] |
| DefaultDomainID | (decimal value, 1-239) | [11] |
| DomainIDLock | (True / False) | [True] |
| SymbolicName | (string, max=32 chars) | [Sanbox2] |
| R_T_TOV | (decimal value, 1-1000 msec) | [100] |
| R_A_TOV | (decimal value, 100-100000 msec) | [10000] |
| E_D_TOV | (decimal value, 10-20000 msec) | [2000] |
| FS_TOV | (decimal value, 100-100000 msec) | [5000] |
| DS_TOV | (decimal value, 100-100000 msec) | [5000] |
| PrincipalPriority | (decimal value, 1-255) | [254] |
| ConfigDescription | (string, max=32 chars) | [] |

The following is an example of the Set Config Threshold command:

```
SANbox2 #> admin start
SANbox2 (admin) #> config edit
SANbox2 (admin-config) #> set config threshold
```

A list of attributes with formatting and current values will follow.

Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the current value.

If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

| | | |
|-------------------------------|-----------------------------|--------|
| ThresholdMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| | | |
| CRCErrorsMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RisingTrigger | (decimal value, 1-1000) | [25] |
| FallingTrigger | (decimal value, 0-1000) | [1] |
| SampleWindow | (decimal value, 1-1000 sec) | [10] |
| | | |
| DecodeErrorsMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RisingTrigger | (decimal value, 1-1000) | [200] |
| FallingTrigger | (decimal value, 0-1000) | [0] |
| SampleWindow | (decimal value, 1-1000 sec) | [10] |
| | | |
| ISLMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RisingTrigger | (decimal value, 1-1000) | [2] |
| FallingTrigger | (decimal value, 0-1000) | [0] |
| SampleWindow | (decimal value, 1-1000 sec) | [10] |
| | | |
| LoginMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RisingTrigger | (decimal value, 1-1000) | [5] |
| FallingTrigger | (decimal value, 0-1000) | [1] |
| SampleWindow | (decimal value, 1-1000 sec) | [10] |
| | | |
| LogoutMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RisingTrigger | (decimal value, 1-1000) | [5] |
| FallingTrigger | (decimal value, 0-1000) | [1] |
| SampleWindow | (decimal value, 1-1000 sec) | [10] |
| | | |
| LOSMonitoringEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RisingTrigger | (decimal value, 1-1000) | [100] |
| FallingTrigger | (decimal value, 0-1000) | [5] |
| SampleWindow | (decimal value, 1-1000 sec) | [10] |

Finished configuring attributes.

This configuration must be saved (see config save command) and activated (see config activate command) before it can take effect. To discard this configuration use the config cancel command.config.

The following is an example of the Set Config Zoning command.

```
SANbox2 $> admin start
SANbox2 (admin) #> config edit
SANbox2 (admin-config) #> set config zoning
```

A list of attributes with formatting and current values will follow.

Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the current value.

If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list
press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

```
AutoSave      (True / False)  [True]
Default       (All / None)    [All ]
```

Finished configuring attributes.

This configuration must be saved (see config save command) and
activated (see config activate command) before it can take effect.

To discard this configuration use the config cancel command.

Set Log Command

Specifies the type of entries to be entered in the event log. The log is a storage file contained on the switch. The log can hold a maximum of 200 entries. When the log becomes full, the entries are replaced, starting with the oldest entry, to produce a list of the last 200 events which occurred. Log entries are created for ports, components, and event severity levels.

Authority Admin

Syntax **set log**
archive
clear
component [list]
level [level]
port [port_list]
restore
save
start (default)
stop

Keywords **archive**
Archives the log entries to a file on the switch named *logfile* that can be downloaded from the switch using FTP. To download the log file, open an FTP session, log in with account name/password of “images” for both, and type “get logfile”.

clear
Clears all log entries.

component [list]
Specifies one or more components to monitor for events. Use spaces to delimit values in the list. Choose one or more of the following values:

- All
Monitors all components. To maintain optimal switch performance, do not use this setting with the Level keyword set to Info.
- Blade
Monitors modular circuit boards in cabinets, racks, and high-port-count switches.
- Chassis
Monitors chassis hardware components such as fans and power supplies.
- Eport
Monitors all E_Ports.
- Mgmtserver
Monitors management server status.
- Nameserver
Monitors name server status.

None
Monitor none of the component events.

Other
Monitors other miscellaneous events.

Port
Monitors all port events

Switch
Monitors switch management events.

Zoning
Monitors zoning conflict events.

level [level]

Specifies the severity level given by [level] to use in monitoring events for the specified components or ports. [level] can be one of the following values:

Critical
Monitors critical events.

Warn
Monitors warning events.

Info
Monitors informational events. To maintain optimal switch performance, do not use this setting with the Component keyword set to All.

None
Monitors none of the severity levels.

port [port_list]

Specifies one or more ports to monitor for events. Choose one of the following values:

[port_list]
Specifies port or ports to monitor. Use spaces to delimit values in the list. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.

All
Specifies all ports.

None
Disables monitoring on all ports.

restore

Returns the port, component, and level settings to the default values.

save

Saves the log settings for the component, level, and port. These settings remain in effect after a switch reset. The log settings can be viewed using the Show Log Settings command. To export log entries to a file, use the Set Log Archive command.

start

Starts the logging of events based on the Port, Component, and Level keywords assigned to the current configuration. The logging continues until you enter the Set Log Stop command.

stop

Stops logging of events.

Notes

To maintain optimal switch performance, do not set the Component keyword to All and the Level keyword to Info at the same time.

Set Port Command

Sets port state and speed for the specified port temporarily until the next switch reset or new configuration activation. This command also clears port counters.

Authority Admin

Syntax **set port [port_number]**
bypass [alpa]
clear
enable [alpa]
speed [transmission_speed]
state [state]

Keywords **[port_number]**
Specifies the port. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.

bypass [alpa]

Sends a Loop Port Bypass (LPB) to a specific Arbitrated Loop Physical Address (ALPA) or to all ALPAs on the arbitrated loop. [alpa] can be a specific ALPA or the keyword ALL to choose all ALPAs.

clear

Clears the counters on the specified port.

enable [alpa]

Sends a Loop Port Enable (LPE) to all ALPAs on the arbitrated loop. [alpa] can be a specific ALPA or the keyword ALL to choose all ALPAs.

speed [transmission_speed]

Specifies the transmission speed. Choose one of the following port speed values:

1Gb/s

One gigabit per second.

2Gb/s

Two gigabits per second.

Auto

The port speed is automatically detected.

state [state]

Specifies the administrative state. Choose one of the following port state values:

Online

Places the port online.

Offline

Places the port offline.

Diagnostics

Prepares the port for testing.

Down

Disables the port.

Set Setup Command

Changes SNMP and system configuration settings. The switch maintains one SNMP configuration and one system configuration.

Authority Admin

Syntax **set setup**
snmp
system

Keywords **snmp**
Prompts you in a line-by-line fashion to change SNMP configuration settings. [Table B-11](#) describes the SNMP fields. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets.

Table B-11. SNMP Configuration Settings

| Entry | Description |
|---------------------|--|
| Contact | Specifies the name of the person to be contacted to respond to trap events. The default is undefined. |
| Location | Specifies the name of the switch location. The default is undefined. |
| Trap [1-5] Address | Specifies the IP address to which SNMP traps are sent. The default address for trap 1 is 10.0.0.254. The default address for traps 2–5 is 0.0.0.0. |
| Trap [1-5] Port | Specifies the port for which SNMP traps are sent. |
| Trap [1-5] Severity | Specifies the severity level to use when monitoring trap events. The default is Warning |
| Trap [1-5] Enabled | Specifies whether traps (event information) are enabled or disabled (default). |
| ReadCommunity | Read Community Authentication. A write-only field; the value on the switch and the SNMP management server must be the same. |
| WriteCommunity | Write Community Authentication. A write-only field; the value on the switch and the SNMP management server must be the same. |
| TrapCommunity | Trap Community Authentication. A write-only field; the value on the switch and the SNMP management server must be the same. |
| AuthFailureTrap | Specifies the IP address where a notification is sent in the event of an authentication failure. |

system

Prompts you in a line-by-line fashion to change system configuration settings.

[Table B-12](#) describes the system configuration fields. For each parameter, enter a new value or press the Enter key to accept the current value shown in brackets.

Table B-12. System Configuration Settings

| Entry | Description |
|---------------------------|--|
| Eth0NetworkAddress | Internet Protocol (IP) address for the Ethernet port. |
| Eth0NetworkMask | Subnet mask address for the Ethernet port. |
| Eth0GatewayAddress | IP address gateway. |
| Eth0NetworkDiscovery | Boot Method (1 - Static, 2 - Bootp, 3 - DHCP, 4 - RARP) |
| AdminTimeout | Specifies the amount of time in minutes the switch waits before terminating an idle Admin session. Zero (0) disables the time out threshold. The default is 30, the maximum is 1440. |
| Security Enabled | Enables or disables the enforcement of account names and passwords. |
| Local Log Enabled | Enables or disables the saving of log information on the switch. |
| Remote Log Enabled | Whether remote logging of is enabled or disabled. If enabled, log information is saved to a remote host that supports the syslog protocol. |
| Remote LogHost IP Address | The IP address of the host that will receive the remote log information if remote logging is enabled. |

Notes

The two components of security are user authentication and fabric security. The user must be authenticated before gaining access to a switch. If an invalid account name/password combination is entered, that user can not access the switch, and thus can not gain access to the fabric. If security is enabled (True) and a valid account name/password combination is entered, that user can access the switch but can not execute any command that exceeds their authority (privileges) level. If security is disabled (False) and a valid account name/password combination is entered, that user has access to all switches in the fabric and can execute all commands (both user and admin), regardless of their authority (privileges) level.

Examples The following is an example of the Set Setup SNMP command:

```
SANbox2 $> admin start
SANbox2 (admin) #> set setup snmp

A list of attributes with formatting and current values will follow.
Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the current value.
If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list
press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

Trap Severity Options
-----
unknown, emergency, alert, critical, error, warning, notify, info, debug, mark

Contact          (string, max=32 chars)      [Technical Support]
Location         (string, max=32 chars) [TSLab          ]
Trap1Address     (dot-notated IP Address) [10.20.71.15      ]
Trap1Port        (decimal value)       [162              ]
Trap1Severity    (see allowed options above) [warning          ]
Trap1Enabled     (True / False)         [True             ]
Trap2Address     (dot-notated IP Address) [0.0.0.0          ]
Trap2Port        (decimal value)       [162              ]
Trap2Severity    (see allowed options above) [warning          ]
Trap2Enabled     (True / False)         [False            ]
Trap3Address     (dot-notated IP Address) [0.0.0.0          ]
Trap3Port        (decimal value)       [162              ]
Trap3Severity    (see allowed options above) [warning          ]
Trap3Enabled     (True / False)         [False            ]
Trap4Address     (dot-notated IP Address) [0.0.0.0          ]
Trap4Port        (decimal value)       [162              ]
Trap4Severity    (see allowed options above) [warning          ]
Trap4Enabled     (True / False)         [False            ]
Trap5Address     (dot-notated IP Address) [0.0.0.0          ]
Trap5Port        (decimal value)       [162              ]
Trap5Severity    (see allowed options above) [warning          ]
Trap5Enabled     (True / False)         [False            ]
ReadCommunity    (string, max=32 chars) [public           ]
WriteCommunity   (string, max=32 chars) [private          ]
TrapCommunity    (string, max=32 chars) [public           ]
AuthFailureTrap  (True / False)         [False            ]

Do you want to save and activate this snmp setup? (y/n)
```

The following is an example of the Set Setup System command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> set setup system
```

A list of attributes with formatting and current values will follow.
Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the current value.
If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list
press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

| | | |
|----------------------|-------------------------------------|------------------|
| Eth0NetworkAddress | (dot-notated IP Address) | [10.0.0.1] |
| Eth0NetworkMask | (dot-notated IP Address) | [255.255.255.0] |
| Eth0GatewayAddress | (dot-notated IP Address) | [10.0.0.254] |
| Eth0NetworkDiscovery | (1=Static, 2=Bootp, 3=Dhcp, 4=Rarp) | [Static] |
| AdminTimeout | (dec value 0-1440 minutes, 0=never) | [30] |
| SecurityEnabled | (True / False) | [False] |
| LocalLogEnabled | (True / False) | [True] |
| RemoteLogEnabled | (True / False) | [False] |
| RemoteLogHostAddress | (dot-notated IP Address) | [10.0.0.254] |

Show Command

Displays fabric, switch, and port operational information.

Authority User

Syntax **show**
 about
 alarm
 broadcast
 chassis
 config [option]
 domains
 donor
 fabric
 interface
 log [option]
 lsdb
 mem [count]
 ns [option]
 pagebreak
 perf [option]
 port [port_number]
 post log
 setup [option]
 steering [domain_id]
 support
 switch
 topology
 users
 version

Keywords **about**
 Displays an introductory set of information about operational attributes of the switch. This keyword is equivalent to the Version keyword.

alarm
 Displays the last 200 alarm entries.

broadcast
 Displays the broadcast tree information and all ports that are currently transmitting and receiving broadcast frames.

chassis
 Displays chassis component status and temperature.

config [option]
 Displays switch and port configuration attributes. Refer to the ["Show Config Command" on page B-51](#).

domains

Displays list of each domain and its worldwide name in the fabric.

donor

Displays list of current donor configuration for all ports.

fabric

Displays list of each domain, fabric ID, worldwide name, node IP address, port IP address, and symbolic name in the fabric.

interface

Displays the status of the active network interfaces.

log [option]

Displays log entries. Refer to the ["Show Log Command" on page B-54](#).

lsdb

Displays Link State database information.

mem [count]

Displays information about memory activity for the number of seconds given by [count]. If you omit [count], the value 1 is used. Displayed memory values are in 1K block units.

Note: This keyword will display memory activity updates until [count] is reached – it cannot be interrupted. Therefore, avoid using large values for [count].

ns [option]

Displays name server information for the specified [option]. If you omit [option], name server information for the local domain ID is displayed. [option] can have the following values:

all

Displays name server information for all switches and ports.

[domain_id]

Displays name server information for the switch given by [domain_id].
[domain_id] is a switch domain ID.

[port_id]

Displays name server information for the port given by [port_id]. [port_id] is a port Fibre Channel address.

pagebreak

Displays the current pagebreak setting. The pagebreak setting limits the display of information to 20 lines (On) or allows the continuous display of information without a break (Off).

perf [option]

Displays performance information for all ports. Refer to the ["Show Perf Command" on page B-56](#).

port [port_number]

Displays operational information for the port given by [port_number]. Ports are numbered beginning with 0. If the port number is omitted, information is displayed for all ports. [Table B-13](#) describes the port parameters.

Table B-13. Show Port Parameters

| Entry | Description |
|-----------------|---|
| Alinit | Incremented each time the port begins AL initialization. |
| AlinitError | Number of times the port entered initialization and the initialization failed. |
| ClassXFramesIn | Number of class x frames received by this port. |
| ClassXFramesOut | Number of class x frames sent by this port. |
| ClassXWordsIn | Number of class x words received by this port. |
| ClassXWordsOut | Number of class x words sent by this port. |
| DecodeError | Decoding error detected. |
| FBusy | Number of times the switch sent a F_BSY because Class 2 frame could not be delivered within ED_TOV time. Number of class 2 and class 3 fabric busy (F_BSY) frames generated by this port in response to incoming frames. This usually indicates a busy condition on the fabric or N_port that is preventing delivery of this frame. |
| Flowerrors | Received a frame when there were no available credits. |
| FReject | Number of frames from devices that were rejected. |
| InvalidCRC | Invalid CRC detected. |
| InvalidDestAddr | Invalid destination address detected. |
| LIP ALPD ALPS | Number of F7, AL_PS LIPs, or AL_PD (vendor specific) resets, performed. |
| LIPF7ALPS | This LIP is used to reinitialize the loop. An L_port, identified by AL_PS, may have noticed a performance degradation and is trying to restore the loop. |
| LIPF8ALPS | This LIP denotes a loop failure detected by the L_port identified by AL_PS. |

Table B-13. Show Port Parameters (Continued)

| Entry | Description |
|-----------------|---|
| LIPF7F7 | A loop initialization primitive frame used to acquire a valid AL_PA. |
| LIPF8F7 | A loop initialization primitive frame used to indicate that a loop failure has been detected at the receiver. |
| Link Failures | Number of optical link failures detected by this port. A link failure is a loss of synchronization for a period of time greater than the value of R_T_TOV or by loss of signal while not in the offline state. A loss of signal causes the switch to attempt to re-establish the link. If the link is not re-established by the time specified by R_T_TOV, a link failure is counted. A link reset is performed after a link failure. |
| Login | Time when user logged in. |
| Logout | Time when user logged out. |
| LoopTimeouts | A two (2) second timeout as specified by FC-AL-2. |
| LossOfSync | Number of synchronization losses (>100 ms) detected by this port. A loss of synchronization is detected by receipt of an invalid transmission word. |
| PrimSeqErrors | Primitive sequence errors detected. |
| RxLinkResets | Number of link reset primitives received from an attached device. |
| RxOfflineSeq | Number of offline sequences received. An OLS is issued for link initialization, a Receive & Recognize Not_Operational (NOS) state, or to enter the offline state. |
| TotalErrors | Total number of errors detected. |
| TotalLIPsRecvd | Number of loop initialization primitive frames received by this port. |
| TotalLinkResets | Total number of link reset primitives. |
| TotalOfflineSeq | Total number of Offline Sequences issued by this port. |
| TotalRxFrames | Total number of frames received by this port. |
| TotalRxWords | Total number of words received by this port. |
| TotalTxFrames | Total number of frames issued by this port. |
| TotalTxWords | Total number of words issued by this port. |
| TxLinkResets | Number of Link Resets issued by this port. |

Table B-13. Show Port Parameters (Continued)

| Entry | Description |
|--------------|--|
| TxOfflineSeq | Total number of Offline Sequences issued by this port. |
| TxWait | Time waiting to transmit when blocked with no credit. Measured in FC Word times |

post log

Displays the Power On Self Test (POST) log which contains results from the POST.

setup [option]

Displays setup attributes for the system, SNMP, and the switch manufacturer. Refer to the ["Show Setup Command" on page B-58](#).

steering [domain_id]

Displays the routes that data takes to the switch given by [domain_id]. If you omit [domain_id], the system displays routes for all switches in the fabric.

support

Executes a series of commands that display a complete description of the switch, its configuration, and operation. The display can be captured from the screen and used for diagnosing problems. This keyword is intended for use at the request of your authorized maintenance provider. The commands that are executed include the following:

- Date
- Alias List
- Config List
- Date
- History
- Ps
- Show (About, Alarm, Backtrace, Chassis, Config Port, Config Switch, Dev, Dev Settings, Domains, Donor, Fabric, Log, Log Settings, Lsdb, Mem, Ns, Perf, Port, Setup Mfg, Setup Snmp, Setup System, Steering, Switch, Topology, Users)
- Uptime
- User Accounts
- Whoami
- Zoneset (Active, List)
- Zoning (History, Limits, List)

switch

Displays switch operational information.

topology

Displays all connected devices.

users

Displays a list of logged-in users. This is equivalent to the User List command.

version

Displays an introductory set of information about operational attributes of the switch. This keyword is equivalent to the About keyword.

Examples

The following is an example of the Show Chassis command:

```
SANbox2 $> show chassis
```

```
Chassis Information
-----
BoardTemp (1) - Degrees Celsius    32
BoardTemp (2) - Degrees Celsius    36
FanStatus (1)                      Good
FanStatus (2)                      Good
PowerSupplyStatus (1)              Good
PowerSupplyStatus (2)              Good
```

The following is an example of the Show Domains command:

```
SANbox2 $> show domains
```

```
Principal switch is (local): 10:00:00:c0:dd:00:90:6b

Domain ID List:
      Domain 22 (0x16)          WWN = 10:00:00:c0:dd:00:90:6b
```

The following is an example of the Show Fabric command:

```
SANbox2 $> show fabric
```

| Switch | ID | WWN | Eth0IPAddress | SymbolicName |
|---------|--------|-------------------------|---------------|--------------|
| ----- | -- | --- | ----- | ----- |
| 1 (0x1) | fffc01 | 10:00:00:c0:dd:00:bd:ec | 10.20.68.107 | |
| 4 (0x4) | fffc04 | 10:00:00:c0:dd:00:80:21 | 10.20.68.14 | |

The following is an example of the Show Setup SNMP command:

```
SANbox2 $> show setup snmp
```

```
SNMP Information
-----
Contact           Technical Support
Location          N_112 System Test Lab
Description       QLogic SANbox2 FC Switch
Trap1Address      10.20.8.35
Trap1Port         182
Trap1Severity     warning
Trap1Enabled      True
Trap2Address      10.20.32.114
Trap2Port         162
Trap2Severity     warning
Trap2Enabled      True
Trap3Address      10.20.32.114
Trap3Port         172
Trap3Severity     warning
Trap3Enabled      True
Trap4Address      255.255.255.255
Trap4Port         1
Trap4Severity     warning
Trap4Enabled      False
Trap5Address      255.255.255.255
Trap5Port         1
Trap5Severity     warning
Trap5Enabled      False
ObjectID          1.3.6.1.4.1.1663.1.1.1.1.11
AuthFailureTrap   True
```

The following is an example of the Show Topology command:

```
SANbox2 $> show topology
Unique ID Key
-----
A = ALPA, D = Domain ID, P = Port ID
```

| Port Number | Local Type | Local PortWWN | Remote Type | Remote NodeWWN | Unique ID | |
|----------------|---------------|-------------------------|----------------|-------------------------|--------------|---|
| ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | ----- | |
| 0 | E | 20:00:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | E | 10:00:00:c0:dd:00:b9:fd | 1(0x1) | D |
| 1 | F | 20:01:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 50:00:60:e8:02:a0:f8:16 | 020100 | P |
| 2 | F | 20:02:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 20:00:00:e0:8b:05:0f:64 | 020200 | P |
| 3 | F | 20:03:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 20:00:00:e0:8b:05:0a:64 | 020300 | P |
| 4 | F | 20:04:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 20:00:00:e0:8b:07:69:6d | 020400 | P |
| 5 | F | 20:05:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 20:01:00:e0:8b:27:69:6d | 020500 | P |
| 6 | F | 20:06:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 20:00:00:e0:8b:05:0c:64 | 020600 | P |
| 7 | F | 20:07:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6 | N | 20:00:00:e0:8b:05:0b:64 | 020700 | |

The following is an example of the Show Topology (for Port #1) command:

```
SANbox2 #> show topology 1
Local Link Information
-----

PortNumber 1
PortID      020100
PortWWN     20:01:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6
PortType    F

Remote Link Information
-----

Device 0

PortID      020100
PortWWN     50:00:60:e8:02:a0:f8:16
NodeWWN     50:00:60:e8:02:a0:f8:16
PortType    N
Description (NULL)
IPAddress   0.0.0.0
```

The following is an example of the Show Port command:

```
SANbox2 $> show port 3
```

```
Port Number: 3
-----
AdminState      Online      OperationalState Offline
AsicNumber      1           PortID        050300
AsicPort        3           PortWWN       20:03:00:c0:dd:00:90:6b
ConfigType      GL          RunningType    Unknown
DiagStatus      Passed      SFPPartNumber  Unknown
EpConnState     None       SFPRevision    0
EpIsoReason     NotApplicable SFPType       NotInstalled
LinkSpeed       Auto       SFPVendor      Unknown
LinkState       Inactive   SFPVendorID    0
LoginStatus     NotLoggedIn SymbolicName    Port3
MaxCredit       12        SyncStatus     SyncLost

ALInit          1          FReject        0          RxLinkResets   0
ALInitError     0          InvalidCRC     0          RxOfflineSeq   0
Class2FramesIn  0          InvalidDestAddr 0          TotalErrors    0
Class2FramesOut 0          LIP_AL_PD_AL_PS 0          TotalLIPsRecvd 0
Class2WordsIn   0          LIP_F7_AL_PS   0          TotalLinkResets 0
Class2WordsOut  0          LIP_F7_F7      0          TotalOfflineSeq 2
Class3FramesIn  0          LIP_F8_AL_PS   0          TotalRxFrames   0
Class3FramesOut 0          LIP_F8_F7      0          TotalRxWords    0
Class3Toss      0          LinkFailures   0          TotalTxFrames   0
Class3WordsIn   0          Login          0          TotalTxWords    0
Class3WordsOut  0          Logout         0          TxLinkResets    0
DecodeError     0          LoopTimeouts   0          TxOfflineSeq    2
FBusy          0          LossOfSync     0          TxWait          0
FlowErrors      0          PrimSeqErrors   0
```

The following is an example of the Show Switch command:

```
SANbox2 $> show switch

Switch Information
-----
SymbolicName                SANbox2
SwitchWWN                   10:00:00:c0:dd:00:c2:d6
SwitchType                   Sanbox2-8
PROMVersion                  V0.4-0-0   (Wed Jul 24 23:58:34 2002)
CreditPool                  0
DomainID                    2 (0x2)
FlashSize - MBytes          128
LogLevel                     Critical
MaxPorts                     8
NumberOfAsics                1
NumberOfPortsPerAsic        16
NumberOfResets               11
ReasonForLastReset           NormalReset
SWImageVersion (1) - build date V1.4-7-6   (Tue Jul 30 03:53:06 2002)
SWImageVersion (2) - build date V1.3-47-0   (Wed Jul 24 23:58:34 2002)
ActiveConfiguration          config-g
ActiveSWImage                 2
AdminState                   Online
AdminModeActive              False
BeaconOnStatus               False
OperationalState             Online
PrincipalSwitchRole          False
BoardTemp (1) - Degrees Celsius 28
BoardTemp (2) - Degrees Celsius 28
SwitchDiagnosticsStatus      Passed
SwitchTemperatureStatus       Normal
```

Show Config Command

Displays switch, port, alarm threshold, and zoning attributes for the current configuration.

Authority User

Syntax **show config**
port *[port_number]*
switch
threshold
zoning

Keywords **port *[port_number]***
Displays configuration parameters for the port number given by *[port_number]*. Ports are numbered beginning with 0. If the port value is omitted, all ports are specified.

switch
Displays configuration parameters for the switch.

threshold
Displays alarm threshold parameters for the switch.

zoning
Displays zoning configuration parameters for the switch.

Examples The following is an example of the Show Config Port command:

```
SANbox2 $> show config port 3
```

```
Configuration Name: default
-----

Port Number: 3
-----

AdminState      Online
LinkSpeed       Auto
PortType        GL
TLPortMode      TLInitiatorMode
ISLSecurity      Any
SymbolicName     Port4
ALFairness      False
ARB_FF          False
InteropCredit    0
FanEnable        True
ExtCredit        0
FanEnable        False
LCFEnable        False
MFSEnable        False
```

```
MFS_TOV          640
MSEnable         False
NoClose          False
IOStreamGuard    False
VIEnable         False
CheckAlps        False
```

The following is an example of the Show Config Switch command:

```
SANbox2 $> show config switch
```

```
Configuration Name: default
```

```
-----
```

```
Switch Configuration Information
```

```
-----
```

```
AdminState       Online
BroadcastEnabled  True
InbandEnabled     True
DomainID         11
DomainIDLock     False
SymbolicName     SANbox2
R_T_TOV          100
R_A_TOV          10000
E_D_TOV          2000
FS_TOV           5000
DS_TOV           5000
PrincipalPriority 254
ConfigDescription QLogic SANbox2 FC Switch
ConfigLastSavedBy guest@IB-session10
ConfigLastSavedOn Mon Nov 18 15:10:03 2002
```

The following is an example of the Show Config Threshold command:

```
SANbox2 #> show config threshold
```

```
Configuration Name: default
```

```
-----
```

```
Threshold Configuration Information
```

```
-----
```

```
ThresholdMonitoringEnabled  True
CRCErrorsMonitoringEnabled  True
RisingTrigger               25
FallingTrigger              1
SampleWindow                10
```

```
DecodeErrorsMonitoringEnabled True
RisingTrigger                    200
FallingTrigger                   0
SampleWindow                     10
ISLMonitoringEnabled             True
RisingTrigger                    2
FallingTrigger                   0
SampleWindow                     10
LoginMonitoringEnabled           True
RisingTrigger                    5
FallingTrigger                   1
SampleWindow                     10
LogoutMonitoringEnabled          True
RisingTrigger                    5
FallingTrigger                   1
SampleWindow                     10
LOSMonitoringEnabled             True
RisingTrigger                    100
FallingTrigger                   5
SampleWindow                     10
```

The following is an example of the Show Config Zoning command:

```
SANbox2 $> show config zoning
```

```
Configuration Name: default
-----

Zoning Configuration Information
-----

AutoSave                True
Default                 All
```

Show Log Command

Displays the contents of the log or the parameters used to create entries in the log. The log contains a maximum of 200 entries. When the log reaches its entry capacity, subsequent entries overwrite the existing entries, beginning with the oldest.

Authority User

Syntax **show log**
 component
 level
 options
 port
 settings

Keywords **component**

Displays the components currently being monitored for events.

level

Displays the event severity level needed to create an entry in the log. If the severity level occurs on a port or on a component which is not defined, no entry is made in the log.

options

Displays the options used to set the component and log level attributes.

port

Displays the ports being monitored for events. If an event occurs which is of the defined level and on a defined component, but not on a defined port, no entry is made in the log.

settings

Displays the current settings for component, level and port. This command is equivalent to executing the following commands separately: Show Log Component, Show Log Level, and Show Log Port.

Examples The following is an example of the Show Log Component command

```
SANbox2 $> show log component
```

```
Current setting(s) for log component: NameServer
```

The following is an example of the Show Log Level command:

```
SANbox2 $> show log level
```

```
Current setting(s) for log level: Info
```


The following is an example of the Show Log Options command:

```
SANbox2 $> show log options
```

```
Allowed options for 'level': Critical,Warn,Info,None
```

```
Allowed options for 'component': All,None,NameServer,MgmtServer,Zoning,Switch,
Chassis,Blade,Port,Eport,Snmp,Other
```

The following is an example of the Show Log command:

```
[327][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.860 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Eport
State = E_A0_GET_DOMAIN_ID]
[328][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.860 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][FSPF
PortUp state=0]
[329][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.861 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Send
ing init hello]
[330][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.861 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Proc
essing EFP, oxid= 0x8]
[331][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.861 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Epor
t State = E_A2_IDLE]
[332][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.861 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][EFP,
WWN= 0x100000c0dd00b845, len= 0x30]
[333][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.864 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Send
ing LSU oxid= 0xc: type= 1]
[334][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.864 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Send
Zone Merge Request]
[335][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.865 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][LSDB
Xchg timer set]
[336][Wed Jan 25 09:36:54.865 1989][I][Eport:0xdd00b8b6.304.4 Port: 0/8][Sett
ing attribute Oper.UserPort.0.8.EpConnState Connected]
```

Show Perf Command

Displays port performance in frames/second and bytes/second. If you omit the keyword, the command displays data transmitted (out), data received (in), and total data transmitted and received in frames/second and bytes per second.

Authority User

Syntax **show perf**
byte
inbyte
outbyte
frame
inframe
outframe
errors

Keywords **byte**

Displays continuous performance data in total bytes/second transmitted and received for all ports. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

inbyte

Displays continuous performance data in bytes/second received for all ports. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

outbyte [port_number]

Displays continuous performance data in bytes/second transmitted for the set of 16 ports that include [port_number]. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

frame [port_number]

Displays continuous performance data in total frames/second transmitted and received for the set of 16 ports that include [port_number]. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

inframe [port_number]

Displays continuous performance data in frames/second received for the set of 16 ports that include [port_number]. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

outframe [port_number]

Displays continuous performance data in frames/second transmitted for the set of 16 ports that include [port_number]. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

errors [port_number]

Displays continuous error counts for the set of 16 ports that include [port_number]. Type “q” and press the Enter key to stop the display.

Examples The following is an example of the Show Perf Byte command:

```
SANbox2 $> show perf byte
Displaying bytes/sec data... (Press 'q' and the ENTER key to stop display)
```

| 0 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
|-------|---|---|-----|---|---|---|-----|
| ----- | | | | | | | |
| 76M | 0 | 0 | 32M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43M |
| 78M | 0 | 0 | 34M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43M |
| 78M | 0 | 0 | 34M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43M |
| 77M | 0 | 0 | 33M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44M |
| 77M | 0 | 0 | 33M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44M |
| 84M | 0 | 0 | 40M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43M |
| 83M | 0 | 0 | 39M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 43M |
| 80M | 0 | 0 | 35M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45M |
| 77M | 0 | 0 | 33M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44M |
| 78M | 0 | 0 | 33M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 44M |
| 75M | 0 | 0 | 29M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 45M |
| 74M | 0 | 0 | 28M | 0 | 0 | 0 | 46M |

q

Show Setup Command

Displays the current SNMP and system settings.

Authority User

Syntax **show setup**
mfg
snmp
system

Keywords **mfg**
Displays manufacturing information about the switch.

snmp
Displays the current SNMP settings.

system
Displays the current system settings.

Examples The following is an example of the Show Setup Mfg command:

```
SANbox2 $> show setup mfg
Manufacturing Information
-----
BoardSerialNumber      000004260
BrandName               QLogic
BuildDate               Unknown
ChassisPartNumber       Unknown
ChassisSerialNumber     S02270092
MACAddress              00:c0:dd:00:c2:b5
PlanarPartNumber         Unknown
SwitchSymbolicName      SANbox2
SwitchWWN               10:00:00:c0:dd:00:c2:b4
SystemDescription        QLogic SANbox2 FC Switch
SystemObjectID           1.3.6.1.4.1.1663.1.1.1.1.11
```

The following is an example of the Show Setup Snmp command:

```
SANbox2 $> show setup snmp
SNMP Information
-----
Contact                 <sysContact undefined>
Location                 <sysLocation undefined>
Trap1Address             10.20.8.35
Trap1Port                182
Trap1Severity             warning
Trap1Enabled              True
Trap2Address             10.20.32.114
Trap2Port                162
```

```

Trap2Severity      warning
Trap2Enabled       True
Trap3Address       10.20.32.114
Trap3Port          172
Trap3Severity      warning
Trap3Enabled       True
Trap4Address       255.255.255.255
Trap4Port          1
Trap4Severity      warning
Trap4Enabled       False
Trap5Address       255.255.255.255
Trap5Port          1
Trap5Severity      warning
Trap5Enabled       False
ObjectID           1.3.6.1.4.1.1663.1.1.1.1.11
AuthFailureTrap    True

```

The following is an example of the Show Setup System command:

```
SANbox2 $> show setup system
```

```

System Information
-----
Eth0NetworkAddress  10.20.11.112
Eth0NetworkMask     255.255.252.0
Eth0GatewayAddress  10.20.8.254
Eth0NetworkDiscovery Static
AdminTimeout        30
SecurityEnabled      True
LocalLogEnabled      True
RemoteLogEnabled     True
RemoteLogHostAddress 10.20.11.106

```

Shutdown Command

Terminates all data transfers on the switch at convenient points and closes the Telnet session. Always power cycle the switch after entering this command.

Authority Admin

Syntax **shutdown**

Notes Always use this command to effect an orderly shut down before removing power from the switch. Failure to do so could corrupt the flash memory and the switch configuration.

Test Command

Tests I/O blades and ports using internal (SerDes level), external (SFP), and online loopback tests. Internal and external tests require that the I/O blade or the port be placed in diagnostic mode. Refer to the ["Set Command" on page B-23](#) for information about changing the port or I/O blade administrative state. While the test is running, the remaining ports on the switch remain fully operational.

Authority Admin

Syntax **test**
port [port_number] [test_type]
blade [slot_number]
cancel
status

Keywords **port [port_number] [test_type]**
Tests the port given by [port_number] using the test given by [test_type]. If you omit [test_type], Internal is used. [test_type] can have the following values:

internal
Tests the SerDes. This is the default. The port must be in diagnostics mode to perform this test.

external
Tests both the SerDes and SFP. The port must be in diagnostics mode to perform this test, and a loopback plug must be installed in the SFP.

online
Tests one online port.

cancel
Cancels the online test in progress.

status
Displays the status of a test in progress, or if there is no test in progress, the status of the test that was executed last.

Examples To run an internal (SerDes) or external (SFP) port tests, do the following:

- To start an admin session, enter the following command and press the Enter key.

```
admin start
```
- Place the port in Diagnostics mode, enter the following command (x = port number) and press the Enter key.

```
set port x state diagnostics
```
- Insert the loopback plug into the SFP on the selected port.

4. Choose type of port loopback test to run:
 - To run an internal loopback test, enter the following:

```
test x internal
```
 - To run an external loopback test, enter the following:

```
test x external
```
5. A series of test parameters are displayed on the screen. Press the Enter key to accept each default parameter value, or type a new value for each parameter and press the Enter key. The TestLength parameter is the number of frames sent, the FrameSize (256 byte maximum in some cases) parameter is the number of bytes in each frame, and the DataPattern parameter is the pattern in the payload.
6. After the test type has been chosen and the command executed, a message on the screen will appear detailing the test results.
7. After the test is run, put the port back into online state by entering the following command (*x* = port number) and pressing the Enter key.

```
set port x state online
```
8. To verify port is back online, enter the following command and press the Enter key. The contents of the AdminState field should display be "Online".

```
show port x
```

The online loopback (node-to-node) test can test only one port at a time, and that port must be online and connected to a remote device. To run the online loopback test, do the following:

1. To start an admin session, enter the following command and press the Enter key.

```
admin start
```
2. To run the online loopback test, enter the following command and press the Enter key.

```
test x online
```


3. A series of test parameters are displayed on the screen. Press the Enter key to accept each default parameter value, or type a new value for each parameter and press the Enter key. The TestLength parameter is the number of frames sent, the FrameSize (256 byte maximum in some cases) parameter is the number of bytes in each frame, and the DataPattern parameter is the pattern in the payload. Before running the test, make sure that the device attached to the port can handle the test parameters.

```
SANbox2N107 (admin) #> test x online
```

A list of attributes with formatting and current values will follow. Enter a new value or simply press the ENTER key to accept the default value. If you wish to terminate this process before reaching the end of the list press 'q' or 'Q' and the ENTER key to do so.

```
TestLength      (decimal value, 1-4294967295)  [100    ]
FrameSize       (decimal value, 36-2148)       [256    ]
DataPattern     (32-bit hex value or 'Default') [Default]
StopOnError     (True/False)                   [False  ]
Do you want to start the test? (y/n) [n]
```

4. After all parameter values are defined, press the Y key to start the test.

Uptime Command

Displays the elapsed time since the switch was last reset and reset method.

Authority User

Syntax `uptime`

Examples The following is an example of the Uptime command:

```
SANbox2 $> uptime
```

```
Elapsed up time : 0 day(s), 2 hour(s), 28 min(s), 44 sec(s)  
Reason last reset: NormalReset
```

User Command

Administers or displays user accounts.

Authority Admin. The List keyword is available with User authority.

Syntax **user**
 accounts
 add
 delete [account_name]
 list

Keywords **accounts**
Displays all user accounts that exist on the switch.

add
Add a user account to the switch. After this command is executed, the administrator will be prompted for the information needed to establish the user account. A switch can have a maximum of 15 user accounts. Account names are limited to 15 characters; passwords are limited to 31 characters.

delete [account_name]
Deletes the account name given by [account_name] from the switch.

list
Displays the list of users currently logged in and their session numbers. Provides the same function as the Show Users command. This keyword is valid for User authority and does not require an admin session.

Examples The following is an example of the User Accounts command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> user accounts
```

```
Current list of user accounts
-----
admin      (admin authority = True)
user1      (admin authority = False)
user2      (admin authority = False)
user3      (admin authority = True)
```

The following is an example of the User Add command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> user add

    Press 'q' and the ENTER key to abort this command.

account name (1-15 chars)      : user3
account password (4-20 chars)  :

please confirm account password:

should this account have admin authority? (y/n) [n] : y

OK to add user account 'user3' with admin authority?
Please confirm (y/n): [n] y
```

The following is an example of the User Delete command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> user del user3

The user account will be deleted. Please confirm (y/n): [n] y
```

The following is an example of the User List command:

```
SANbox2 (admin) #> user list

Current list of users logged in
-----
admin@OB-session1 - in admin mode
admin@OB-session2
user1@OB-session3
```

Whoami Command

Displays the account name, session number, and switch domain ID for the Telnet session.

Authority User

Syntax **whoami**

Examples The following is an example of the Whoami command:

```
SANbox2 $> whoami
```

```
User name:admin@session2
```

```
Switch name:SANbox2
```

```
Switch domain ID:1
```

Zone Command

Manages zones and zone membership on a switch. The Zone command defines members (ports and devices) for a single switch. Zones are members of zone sets.

Authority Admin authority within a Zoning Edit session. Refer to the ["Zoning Command" on page B-75](#) for information about starting a Zoning Edit session. The List, Members, and Zonesets keywords are available with User authority and do not require a Zoning Edit session.

Syntax **zone**

- add [zone] [members]
- copy [zone_source] [zone_destination]
- create [zone]
- delete [zone]
- list
- members [zone]
- remove [zone] [members]
- rename [zone_old] [zone_new]
- type [zone] [zone_type]
- zonesets [zone]

Keywords **add [zone] [members]**

Specifies one or more ports given by [members] to add to the zone named [zone]. A zone can have a maximum of 256 members. [members] can have one of the following formats:

- Domain ID and port number pair (Domain ID, Port Number). Domain IDs and port numbers are in decimal. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.
- 6-character hexadecimal device Fibre Channel address (hex)
- 16-character hexadecimal worldwide port name (WWPN) with the format xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx.
- Alias name

The application verifies that the [zone] format is correct, but does not validate that such a port exists

copy [zone_source] [zone_destination]

Creates a new zone named [zone_destination] and copies the membership into it from the zone given by [zone_source].

create [zone]

Creates a zone with the name given by [zone]. An zone name must begin with a letter and be no longer than 64 characters. Valid characters are 0-9, A-Z, a-z, &, _, and -. The zoning database supports a maximum of 256 zones.

delete [zone]

Deletes the specified zone given by [zone] from the zoning database. If the zone is a member of the active zone set, the zone will not be removed from the active zone set until the active zone set is deactivated.

list

Displays a list of all zones and the zone sets of which they are members. This keyword is valid for User authority and does not require a zoning edit session.

members [zone]

Displays all members of the zone given by [zone]. This keyword is available with User authority and does not require a Zoning Edit session.

remove [zone] [members]

Removes the ports given by [members] from the zone given by [zone]. [members] can have one of the following formats:

- Domain ID and port number pair (Domain ID, Port Number). Domain IDs and port numbers are in decimal. Ports are numbered beginning with 0.
- 6-character hexadecimal device Fibre Channel address (hex)
- 16-character hexadecimal worldwide port name (WWPN) with the format xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx:xx.
- Alias name

rename [zone_old] [zone_new]

Renames the zone given by [zone_old] to the zone given by [zone_new].

type [zone] [zone_type]

Specifies the zone type given by [zone_type] to be assigned to the zone name given by [zone]. If you omit the [zone_type], the system displays the zone type for the zone given by [zone]. [zone_type] can be one of the following:

- soft
Name server zone
- hardacl
Access control list hard zone
- hardvpf
Virtual private fabric hard zone

zonesets [zone]

Displays all zone sets of which the zone given by [zone] is a member. This keyword is available with User authority and does not require a Zoning Edit session.

Examples The following is an example of the Zone List command:

```
SANbox2 $> zone list
```

```
Zone          ZoneSet
-----
wwn_b0241f
              zone_set_1

wwn_23bd31
              zone_set_1

wwn_221416
              zone_set_1

wwn_2215c3
              zone_set_1

wwn_0160ed
              zone_set_1

wwn_c001b0
              zone_set_1

wwn_401248
              zone_set_1

wwn_02402f
              zone_set_1

wwn_22412f
              zone_set_1
```

The following is an example of the Zone Members command:

```
SANbox2 $> zone members wwn_b0241f
```

```
Current List of Members for Zone: wwn_b0241f
-----
50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2
50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2
21:00:00:e0:8b:02:41:2f
```

The following is an example of the Zone Zonesets command:

```
SANbox2 $> zone zonesets zone1
```

```
Current List of ZoneSets for Zone: wwn_b0241f
```

```
-----
```

```
zone_set_1
```

Zoneset Command

Manages zone sets and zone set membership across the fabric.

Authority Admin authority within a Zoning Edit session. Refer to the ["Zoning Command" on page B-75](#) for information about starting a Zoning Edit session. The Active, List, and Zones keywords are available with User authority. You must close the Zoning Edit session before using the Activate and Deactivate keywords.

Syntax **zoneset**
 `activate [zone_set]`
 `active`
 `add [zone_set] [zone_list]`
 `copy [zone_set_source] [zone_set_destination]`
 `create [zone_set]`
 `deactivate`
 `delete [zone_set]`
 `list`
 `remove [zone_set] [zone_list]`
 `rename [zone_set_old] [zone_set_new]`
 `zones [zone_set]`

Keywords **activate [zone_set]**
Activates the zone set given by [zone_set]. This keyword deactivates the active zone set. Close the Zoning Edit session before using this keyword.

active
Displays the name of the active zone set. This keyword is available with User authority and does not require a Zoning Edit session.

add [zone_set] [zone_list]
Adds a list of zones and aliases given by [zone_list] to the zone set given by [zone_set]. Zone and alias names are delimited by spaces in [zone_list]. This keyword requires a Zoning Edit session.

copy [zone_set_source] [zone_set_destination]
Creates a new zone set named [zone_set_destination] and copies into it the membership from the zone set given by [zone_set_source]. This keyword requires a Zoning Edit session.

create [zone_set]
Creates the zone set with the name given by [zone_set]. A zone set name must begin with a letter and be no longer than 64 characters. Valid characters are 0-9, A-Z, a-z, &, _, and -. This keyword requires a Zoning Edit session. The zoning database supports a maximum of 256 zone sets.

deactivate
Deactivates the active zone set. Close the Zoning Edit session before using this keyword.

delete [zone_set]

Deletes the zone set given by [zone_set]. If the specified zone set is active, the command is suspended until the zone set is deactivated. This keyword requires a Zoning Edit session.

list

Displays a list of all zone sets. This keyword is available with User authority and does not require a Zoning Edit session.

remove [zone_set] [zone_list]

Removes a list of zones and aliases given by [zone_list] from the zone set given by [zone_set]. Zone and alias names are delimited by spaces in [zone_list]. If [zone_set] is the active zone set, the zone will not be removed until the zone set has been deactivated. This keyword requires a Zoning Edit session.

rename [zone_set_old] [zone_set_new]

Renames the zone set given by [zone_set_old] to the name given by [zone_set_new]. You can rename the active zone set. This keyword requires a Zoning Edit session.

zones [zone_set]

Displays all zones that are members of the zone set given by [zone_set]. This keyword is available with User authority and does not need a Zoning Edit session.

Notes

- A zone set must be active for its definitions to be applied to the fabric.
- Only one zone set can be active at one time.
- A zone can be a member of more than one zone set.

Examples

The following is an example of the Zoneset Active command:

```
SANbox2 $> zoneset active
```

```
The active ZoneSet is: Beta
```

The following is an example of the Zoneset List command:

```
SANbox2 $> zoneset list
```

```
Current List of ZoneSets
-----
alpha
beta
```

The following is an example of the Zoneset Zones command:

```
SANbox2 $> zoneset zones ssss
```

```
Current List of Zones for ZoneSet: ssss
```

```
-----
```

```
zone1
```

```
zone2
```

```
zone3
```

Zoning Command

Opens a Zoning Edit session in which to create and manage zone sets and zones. Refer to the ["Zone Command" on page B-68](#) and the ["Zoneset Command" on page B-72](#).

Authority Admin. The List keyword is available with User authority.

Syntax **zoning**
active
cancel
clear
edit
history
limits
list
restore
save

Keywords **active**
Displays membership information for the active zone set including member zones and zone members.

cancel
Closes the current Zoning Edit session. Any unsaved changes are lost.

clear
Clears all inactive zone sets from the volatile edit copy of the keyword does not affect the non-volatile zoning database. However, if you enter the Zoning Clear command followed by the Zoning Save command, the non-volatile zoning database will be cleared from the switch. The preferred method for clearing the zoning database from the switch is the Reset Zoning command.

edit
Opens a Zoning Edit session.

history
Displays a history of zoning modifications including the following:

- Time of the most recent zone set activation or deactivation and the user who performed it
- Time of the most recent modifications to the zoning database and the user who made them.
- Checksum for the zoning database

limits
Displays the maximum limits imposed on the zoning database for the number of zone sets, zones, aliases, members per zone, members per alias, and total members.

list

Lists all fabric zoning definitions. This keyword is available with User authority.

restore

Reverts the changes to the zoning database that have been made during the current Zoning Edit session since the last Zoning Save command was entered.

save

Saves changes made during the current Zoning Edit session. The system will inform you that the zone set must be activated to implement any changes. This does not apply if you entered the Zoning Clear command during the Zoning Edit session.

Examples The following is an example of the Zoning Edit command:

```
SANbox2 $> admin start

SANbox2 (admin) #> zoning edit

SANbox2 (admin-zoning) #>
.
.
SANbox2 (admin-zoning) #> zoning cancel

Zoning edit mode will be canceled. Please confirm (y/n): [n] y

SANbox2 (admin) #> admin end
```

The following is an example of the Zoning List command:

```
SANbox2 $> zoning list

Active ZoneSet Information

ZoneSet      Zone      ZoneMember
-----
wwn
             wwn_b0241f
                50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2
                50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2
                21:00:00:e0:8b:02:41:2f

             wwn_23bd31
                50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2
                50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2
                10:00:00:00:c9:23:bd:31
```

```

wwn_221416
    50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2
    50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2
    10:00:00:00:c9:22:14:16
  
```

```

wwn_2215c3
    50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2
    50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2
    10:00:00:00:c9:22:15:c3
  
```

Configured Zoning Information

| ZoneSet | Zone | ZoneMember |
|---------|------------|---|
| wwn | wwn_b0241f | 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2 21:00:00:e0:8b:02:41:2f |
| | wwn_23bd31 | 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2 10:00:00:00:c9:23:bd:31 |
| | wwn_221416 | 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2 10:00:00:00:c9:22:14:16 |
| | wwn_2215c3 | 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:c2 50:06:04:82:bf:d2:18:d2 10:00:00:00:c9:22:15:c3 |

Notes

Glossary

Activity LED

A port LED that indicates when frames are entering or leaving the port.

Alias

A collection of objects that can be zoned together. An alias is not a zone, and can not have a zone or another alias as a member.

AL_PA

Arbitrated Loop Physical Address

Arbitrated Loop

A Fibre Channel topology where ports use arbitration to establish a point-to-point circuit.

Arbitrated Loop Physical Address (AL_PA)

A unique one-byte valid value assigned during loop initialization to each NL_Port on a Loop.

ASIC

Application Specific Integrated Circuit

BootP

A type of network server.

Buffer Credit

A measure of port buffer capacity equal to one frame.

Class 2 Service

A service which multiplexes frames at frame boundaries to or from one or more N_Ports with acknowledgment provided.

Class 3 Service

A service which multiplexes frames at frame boundaries to or from one or more N_Ports without acknowledgment.

Domain ID

User defined name that identifies the switch in the fabric.

E_Port

Expansion port. A switch port that connects to another FC-SW-2 compliant switch.

Expansion Port

See E_Port.

Fabric Management Switch

The switch through which the fabric is managed.

Fabric Name

User defined name associated with the file that contains user list data for the fabric.

Fan Fail LED

An LED that indicates that a cooling fan in the switch is operating below standard.

FC-PLDA

Fibre Channel Private Loop Direct Attach

Flash Memory

Memory on the switch that contains the chassis control firmware.

Frame

Data unit consisting of a start-of-frame (SOF) delimiter, header, data payload, CRC, and an end-of-frame (EOF) delimiter.

FRU

Field Replaceable Unit

Heartbeat LED

A chassis LED that indicates the status of the internal switch processor and the results of the Power-On Self-Test.

Initiator

The device that initiates a data exchange with a target device.

In-Order-Delivery

A feature that requires that frames be received in the same order in which they were sent.

Input Power LED

A chassis LED that indicates that the switch logic circuitry is receiving proper DC voltages.

IP

Internet Protocol

LIP

Loop Initialization Primitive

Logged-In LED

A port LED that indicates device login or loop initialization status.

Management Information Base

A set of guidelines and definitions for the Fibre Channel functions.

Management Workstation

PC workstation that manages the fabric through the fabric management switch.

MIB

Management Information Base

NL_Port

Node Loop Port. A fibre channel device port that supports arbitrated loop protocol.

N_Port

Node Port. A fibre channel device port in a point-to-point or fabric connection.

Over Temperature LED

A chassis LED or a power supply LED that indicates that the switch or power supply is overheating.

POST

Power On Self Test

Power On Self Test (POST)

Diagnostics that the switch chassis performs at start up.

Private Device

A device that can communicate only with other devices on the same loop.

Private Loop

A loop of private devices connected to a single switch port.

SANbox Manager

Switch management application.

SFP

Small Form-Factor Pluggable transceiver

Small Form-Factor Pluggable Transceiver

A transceiver device, smaller than a Gigabit Interface Converter, that plugs into the Fibre Channel port.

SNMP

Simple Network Management Protocol

Target

A storage device that responds to an initiator device.

VCCI

Voluntary Control Council for Interference

Worldwide Name (WWN)

A unique 64-bit address assigned to a device by the device manufacturer.

WWN

Worldwide Name

Zone

A named set of ports or devices that can communicate with each other.

Zone Set

A named set of zones. The active zone set defines the zoning for a fabric.

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